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Three Carmel Churches To Celebrate Holy Night With Midnight Services; Special Choir Music Is Arranged

Christmas will be celebrated again this year as is customary with special services at the Mission San Carlos de Borromeo, All Saints' Episcopal Church and The Church of the Wayfarer.

Solemn High Mass will be sung at midnight on Christmas Eve at the Carmel Mission, admission to Midnight Mass by invitation cards only. These cards are obtainable without charge from Mr. Harry Downie, Mission superintendent. Cards will be available to the general public after they have been distributed to regular parishioners, but at ten minutes before midnight on Christmas Eve all reservations will become void. Entrance to the Mission from that time on will be without preference, providing room is left.

Regular masses will be held as usual at the Mission on Christmas Day at 8, 9:30 and 11 o'clock.

At All Saint's Episcopal Church the Feast of Saint Thomas the Apostle will be celebrated on Saturday, December 21. Holy Communion on Sunday, December 22, with the children's Christmas candlelight service the afternoon of the same day at 4:00 p. m. The Christmas Eve candlelight service will be held Tuesday, December 24, at 11:30 p. m., followed by the midnight celebration of Holy Communion.

On Christmas Day, Holy Communion will be at 10:30 a. m., and Christmas night, Rev. A. B. Seccombe will lead the congregation in prayer, after the singing of hymns and carols.

The Christmas Eve service begins at 11:15 with a preulde of organ music including Christmas Pastorale and Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring, by Bach, Silent Night, and Berceuse: Lovely Infant, by Kreckel, followed by O Come All Ye Faithful, Cantique de Noel, played by Dorothy E. Symonds, the Shepherd's Carol, It Came Upon the Midnight Clear, O Little Town of Bethlehem and Holy Night.

Following services, the recessional sung by the choir will include Hark the Herald Angels Sing, Postlude, and Jubilate Deo by Aiblinger. Members of the choir are Barbara Berg, Patricia Bullard, Allie Baird, Hilary Carnson, Elizabeth Crofton, Jane Haskell, Cecil Haskell, Dick Hilgers, Jack Hilgers, Gail Johnson, June Kocher, Eva Lou Lippi, Ann Leffingwell, George Stebbins, Dorothy E. Symonds, Carol Templeman, Suzanne Smith, Richard Tocher, Mrs. T. D. Walters, Claraolive Wemuth and Mr. Eben Whittlesey.

Alice Keith is the organist-director, Mrs. E. de K. Leffingwell the choir-mother and Miss Dorothy E. Symonds the soloist.

At the Church of the Wayfarer Christmas will be celebrated by Church School exercises on Sunday morning, December 22, at 9:45, followed by the worship service at 11:00 a. m. on the sermon theme "Meditations in Bethlehem" by Dr. James E. Crowther. On Sunday evening, from 5:00 to 6:00 p. m. there will be a program for the high school youth for young people only, followed by supper from 6:00 to 7:00, and carol singing in the village from 7:00 to 8:00.

Then on Christmas Eve, the Church of the Wayfarer will have its annual Christmas Eve Carol Service from 11 until midnight on Tuesday, December 24. The chancel will be aflame with scarlet as background for the soft candlelight.

A prelude of organ music will be played for those arriving before the service commences, and at 11 o'clock the congregation will join in singing carols, prayers and readings led by Rev. James E. Crowther, and the Scriptures will be projected on the wall above the organ.

Two Land, One Sea Party To Take Bird Census Here Sunday

The Monterey Peninsula Audubon Society will take the annual Christmas census of birds in this area on Sunday, December 22. The members will disperse into three groups in order to cover the territory as inttensively as possible.

Those who wish to identify offshore birds under the direction of Bob Storer of the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology, University of California, will meet at Fisherman's Wharf, Monterey, at 6:40 a. m., for a cruise on the purse seiner, Mercury. Another group will meet at the Carmel P. O. at 6:30 a. m. and under the leadership of Laidlaw Williams, will cover the area around Carmel Point, Lobos and Pebble Beach. A third group will assemble at the Pacific Grove Museum at 6:30 a. m. and will be led by Hilary Helsey in that general area.

This is one of the most important activities of the year for the Audubon members, who will spend from dawn to dark in arranging the Monterey Peninsula contribution to the world statistics on birds for 1946.

Parochial School Presents Christmas Program Today

This afternoon at 2:00 o'clock the children of Junipero Serra School will entertain their parents and friends with a simple Christmas program. Following the entertainment the Mothers' Club will provide the traditional Christmas Tree surprises for the children.

The program: A Child at the Crib, recitation, When Santa Goes Riding, song, first and second grades; The Christmas Story, choral recitation, upper grades; Christmas Shopping, poem, James Millott; When Christmas Comes, recitation, Merry Christmas Song, third and fourth grades; The Daisy That Was Blessed, poem, Patrick Skelley; Angels We Have Heard on High, girls' chorus; Jolly Old St. Nicholas, recitation, primary boys; Up On the Housetop, song, intermediate boys; Christmas Everywhere, choral recitation, Craig Chapman, David Castagna, Paul Neumann, Oliver Wilgress, Michael Younkin.

Traditional Christmas tableau.

Address by Rev. Eugene McDonald.

RAINFALL

Rainfall for the early part of the month totaled 1.15, bringing the precipitation for the season to date to 5.41 inches.

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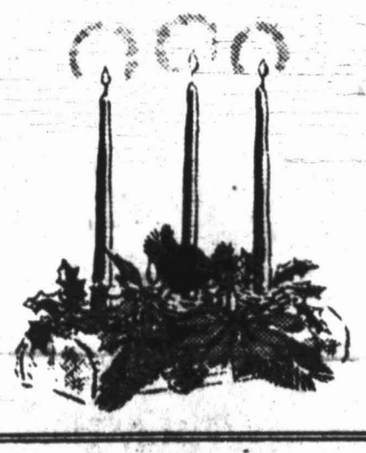

GETTING AROUND THE PENINSULA

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In spite of fine weather, the Christmas spirit waxes gay as usual, and so far there aren't any complaints about the lack of rain and storm. The winter sun, slanting towards earth at a peculiar angle from the farthermost point of its ellipse, is perhaps less brilliant, less warm than might be desired, but it gives a peculiar sparkle to the air. Mountains, hills and fields are darker. Up the valley, down the coast, down at the Carmel Point, by the Carmel Mission, looking up at Mount Torro from Monterey, at Point Lobos from Pebble Beach, out to sea from Lovers' Point or the Pacific Grove Lighthouse things seem sparkling, beautiful, and calm. There is greater contrast. The earth looks more beautiful around this time of year.

Christmas shopping continues at a feverish pace as people remember names left off the list, trees are being bought, cut, put up, decorated, a lot of people have colds, a lot of people are giving cocktail parties, and generally speaking everyone seems imbued with a glowing, beneficent air of kindliness. Cross words are followed by apologies. People smile and are gracious. People who have cars give lifts to people who don't have cars. People like people when Christmas comes around and they are again infected with the spirit of "peace on earth, good will to men."

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A local businessman, asked the other day what he thought of Christmas decorations in Monterey, replied, "I haven't been to Monterey for a year. I never go there. Carmel's good enough for me."

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Over at the Monterey railroad station the other day, Colonel Jonathan M. Rigdon, Medical Corps, USA, who has been on leave in Carmel for two months since his return from Korea, was getting reservations to go to his new station in Chicago. He saw three children huddled on a bench, evidently trying to keep warm. A tiny tot sat on the lap of her sister who was about four, and the little boy was six years old.

"Where do you live?" Col. Rigdon asked.

"Nowhere," the little boy said, "We're staying in a hotel now."

"And what does your daddy do?"

"I don't have a daddy anymore. He went away and he said he isn't coming back."

Further questioning revealed

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PROGRAMS AND PARTY

Parents and friends are invited to attend a Christmas program at the high school cafeteria at 2:30 this afternoon. The orchestra, girls' glee club, a vocal ensemble, and several vocal solos will make up the program, which will be closed by a community singing of Christmas carols.

The Parochial School will also present a Christmas program this afternoon at 2:00 p. m. at the Mission School.

Christmas Day all the children of Carmel will be the guests of the Carmel Lions and the Carmel Theater at a theater party starting at 10 a. m. Candy and movies. The feature picture will be Small Town Deb, featuring Jane Withers. There also will be an animal color cartoon and appropriate shorts.

Antarctic White Xmas For Van Atta

"Bound for the South Pole with Admiral Byrd" reads a Christmas card just received by Miss Isabel Smith from Lee Van Atta on board the USS Olympus, postmarked Panama. "With many memories and hope to see you in the spring, Lee."

This is the last chapter so far of a fabulous serial story of a Carmel boy whose 24 years have been packed with so much adventure that Superman will crawl off in shame if he hears about him.

It is also the story of a woman who became the friend of a little boy 10 years old and whose friendship and affection has endured through the years.

Miss Isabel Smith and her sister, Mary M. Smith, were moving into Holiday House in 1932 when Lee Van Atta, age 10, saw the furniture and with a budding acumen of a go-getter went into the house and signed Isabel Smith on the dotted line as a customer for the Saturday Evening Post. Lee's mother, at that time, taught bridge in Carmel, and the boy had been in business for himself since he was seven. He branched out and began gathering news for The Pine Cone. He took a fling at acting, too, and appeared in several plays at the Playhouse. He was so good that his mother took him to Hollywood. He did not stand around on the lot down there but was soon snapped up and played in Captains Courageous and other pictures. While attending school in Hollywood he worked on the Hollywood paper, and next thing Miss Smith learned was that he was assistant night editor of a Santa Barbara paper. From there he went to Palm Springs as advertising manager for the leading hotel.

There were more worlds to conquer, and he sailed off to Australia, where he was associated with the International News Service. All this time he wrote to Miss Isabel Smith, and the next thing she heard he was head of the International News Service in Australia. The war was on and Lee was going out in combat planes to get his

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B. A. To Sponsor Xmas Eve Carols Under City Tree

The Carmel Business Association will sponsor a community Christmas Carol sing under the City Tree at Ocean and Junipero Christmas Eve from 7:30 to 8:00 o'clock.

Mayor Fred Godwin will be present to say "hello" to the citizens assembled for a well-honored Carmel tradition; Christmas Eve caroling. Business Association President J. O. Handley will be master of ceremonies, and "Jimmy" Griffin will lead the community sing. In addition, it is hoped that it can be arranged to provide several numbers from the High School Chorus and the Bach Festival Chorus.

Trucks will be available following the Christmas Tree program to carry all who wish to join the carolers around town for the traditional serenading.

Christmas Fun, Elections Held At M.A.C. Party

Members of the Musical Arts Club braved the intricacies of the Del Monte Forest to gather for the Christmas party and annual meeting of the organization, held in reckless defiance of superstition, on Friday, December 13. The scene of the event was the beautiful drawing room of the Van Ness residence near the Country Club, decked with Christmas greens and complete with a blazing fire in the ample hearth.

After a short business meeting the company devoted itself to enjoyment of an entertainment provided by the committee under the direction of Mrs. Edward Hopkins and Mr. Rue Manhire. The program was furnished by the young people, featuring the June Delight dancers, Robert Jensen from Carmel and a group of instrumentalists from the Monterey schools.

Under the direction of Rue Manhire, Monterey children contributed a group of carols played by members of the brass quartette composed of Jinne Jone, Peter Lecce, John Mortenson and Dick Brownlie. Sheryl Youngman rendered several flue solos and a novelty number was the playing on bells and marimba by Lorraine Sequiera.

From Carmel came the June Delight dancers with a program of sprightly numbers, Charlotte Hitchings at the piano; Jingle Bells, Glamour girls of 1950; April Showers, Jill Murray; Flirtation, Marilyn Draper, Colleen Wiley, Joan Bambauer, Robert Jensen; Gitaneza, Ladisla Narvaez; Sweetheart Waltz, Marian Perkins, Skaters' Waltz, Glamour girls of 1950.

Robert Jensen of Carmel High School sang Jesu Bambino by Pietro Yon, accompanied on the piano by Miss Angie Machado.

After the entertainment guests gathered around a brightly lighted Christmas tree to redistribute among themselves the small gifts which each member had brought. Elderly members on diets received chocolate bars, while children got a foretaste of utilitarian Christmas presents as they received cotton socks. With the serving of punch and doughnuts a delightful evening was brought to a close.

Following are names of officers and of the board of directors chosen for the coming year: President, Run Manhire; vice-president, Mrs. Robert Newby; treasurer, J. M. Klenke; recording secretary, Miss Dorothy Symonds; corresponding secretary, Miss Elizabeth Crofton. Board of directors, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Griffin, Mrs. Clarence Postelwaite, Mrs. Nora K. Wihte, Mrs. Wilda Haas, Miss Angie Machado, Mrs. Carmalita Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Abinante, Mr. Robert Newby, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lyon, Miss Margaret Lea, Miss Frances Whitehead, Mrs. C. E. Hopkins, Mrs. Clyde Dorsey, Mrs. Grace Howden, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Partridge, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Pasmore, and Eben Whittlesey.

Back From East

Mrs. Carmalita Benson returned from a month's visit in the east Sunday just in time to stand in the receiving line for the Symphony Association reception at the High School. In New York she heard Szigeti at Carnegie Hall. "The house was packed. He played nine encores. It was wonderful." Pretty wonderful, too, was Ingrid Bergman in Joan of Lorraine. She also heard Isaac Stern at Carnegie, attending the concert with Doris Ballard, concert mistress for the Carmel Bach Festival. On the way home she visited friends in Boston, Philadelphia and St. Louis.

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Asking About Warren

"Everywhere I went they asked about Governor Warren—except in Mississippi and Louisiana," said Wesley Kergan yesterday, back from an extended vacation in the east, north—south—everywhere—"Meatless Tuesdays and Fridays seem to be taking care of the meat shortages in Canada. Prices are lower in Montreal than here. There is plenty of space on the trains if you just get on and don't try to get reservations in advance. Bottom is going to fall out of prices in a few months they think in the east and a taxi driver told me there's going to be a race riot in Los Angeles."

Bert Heron Says Sterling Wrote In Wrong Century

Mr. Herbert Heron last Tuesday evening addressed Mrs. Glenn Clairmonte's class in current literature on the subject of George Sterling's poetry. He read some stirring, rather heroic poems and also some of the more wistful and delicate lyrics for which Sterling has become famous. Mr. Heron compared him favorably with Keats and Shelley and expressed the opinion that if Sterling had appeared on the earth a couple of decades earlier, he would easily have been considered one of the greatest poets ever to write in the English language.

The importance of timing in the presentation of literature to the world was discussed, and Mr. Heron recalled a visit to Carmel which Sinclair Lewis made before he was a published author, during which Mr. Lewis expressed his own surprise that he had not yet sold a single manuscript. Later, when he had written Main Street at exactly the right moment in this country's history, he was lifted to prominence, whereas, Mr. Heron continued, the same work ten years earlier or ten years later might have left Mr. Lewis unknown.

The members of the class who remembered Sterling's residence in Carmel exchanged their memories of the poet, passed his photographs from hand to hand. Mr. Heron closed the program with a reading of Sterling's poem, Job, and informal discussion continued late into the evening.

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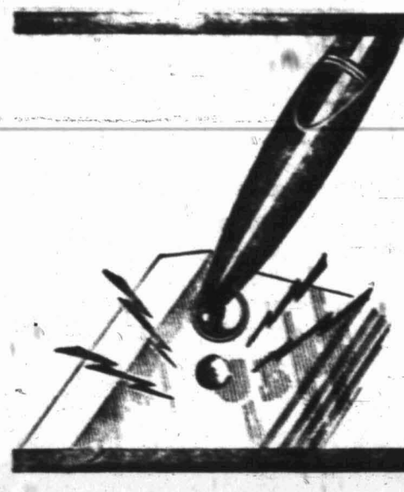

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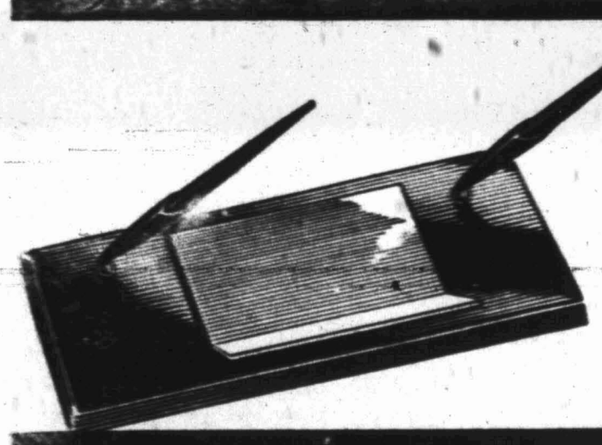

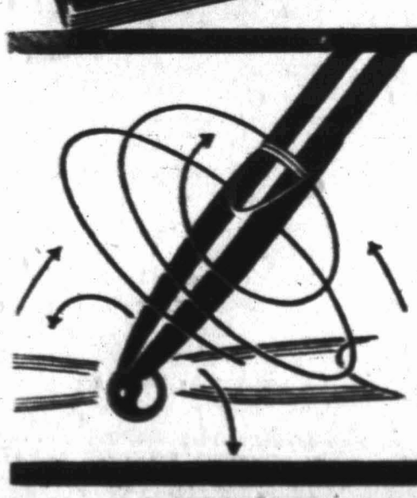

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Carmel Collegiates Flocking Home For Christmas Holidays

FROM UNIVERSITY OF CAL

Beva and Arnold Pilling arrived today from Berkeley and will be with their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Pilling at the Country Club for their two weeks' holiday.

George Moller is another Cal student who is home for Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Moller of Hatton Road and Stewart Way.

Alice Morehouse arrives today from Berkeley and will spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morehouse.

HOMING STANFORD STUDENTS

Andy Shepard is home from Stanford for the holidays, which he will spend with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Shepard, at Pebble Beach.

Joan Dekker came down last Friday from Stanford and will be with her mother, Mrs. William N. Dekker, at their home on Camino Real for the holidays.

Ester Van Niel was another arrival from Stanford last Friday. She will spend her holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Van Niel.

Thomas E. May Jr., son of Colonel and Mrs. Thomas E. May, arrived Thursday from Stanford for the holidays, as did Clayton Neill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Neill.

Gordon Ewig, attending the Stanford graduate school of business, will join his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ewig of Carmel, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crichton in Piedmont, for Christmas.

FROM WEST POINT

Cadet Edward A. White is returning from West Point for the holidays which he will spend with his parents, Major General and Mrs. Charles H. White at their home on the Point. Cadet White attended Monterey High School for a year while the family was stationed at the Presidio.

Cadet John Culin is another West Pointer who will come to Carmel for the holidays, which he will spend with his parents, Major General and Mrs. Frank L. Culin.

ASSORTED SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Barbara Ann May, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Thomas E. May, comes home from Oregon State at Corvallis, for the holidays.

Martha Moller, who is attending Scripps College is home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Moller.

Mimi Townsend arrives by plane today from Bristol, Virginia, where she is enrolled in Virginia Intermont School. Mimi is the daughter of Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. George L. Townsend, San Antonio and Santa Lucia.

Lachlan and Noel Van Bibber, sons of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Van Bibber, come tomorrow from Los Angeles, where they are students at Woodbury.

Joan and Anton Janda are coming home for the holidays. Joan is attending Rosemary College in River Forest, Illinois, and Anton is at Bellarmine Jesuit School at San Jose. They will be with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Janda.

Martin Katz, son of Mrs. Anna Katz Koperman of Carmel, is expected home at the beginning of the Christmas furlough at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, New Mexico. He will arrive about December 21.

Local Audubon Group Brings Out Check List For Peninsula

The bird check list for the Monterey Peninsula is ready for distribution and the Monterey Peninsula Audubon Society takes considerable pride in the achievement. The committee deserves very special thanks with particular credit going to Laidlaw Williams, the chairman, who has contributed his extensive knowledge and experience in this field without stint.

The list is compact and handy, and contains an amazing amount of information on the birds in this area. It is raedily discernible that it represents years of painstaking observation and record keeping, and no inconsiderable effort to boil the details down to the present concentrated form.

Peninsula residents interested in birds will find the list invaluable as will newcomers and visitors.

Copies will be on sale at the regular meeting of the Audubon Society, January 10, 7:30 p. m. Sunset School Library, Carmel.

—J. J. D.

CHILDREN'S MATINEE

There will be a special children's matinee at the Golden Bough Playhouse at 11 o'clock on Christmas morning to which all children under the age of 14 are invited free of charge.

The program will include Christmas carols and selected short subjects, such as Walt Disney cartoons.

No grown-ups allowed, Ted Kuster says, except those accompanying very young children, as he wants to keep the seats for the kids.

FIRE CALLS

Fire under one of the ovens in the Dolores Bakery on Dolores between Ocean and Sixth brought the Carmel Voluntter Fire Department out at 6:30 a. m. Thursday morning. Damage to the floor was estimated at $75.00.

A chair and rug were damaged by fire, presumably from a cigarette, in the home of Miss Ann Hempstead at 2:45 a. m., December 15. Other alarm of the week was a rubbish fire out of doors at Fifteenth and Carpenter.

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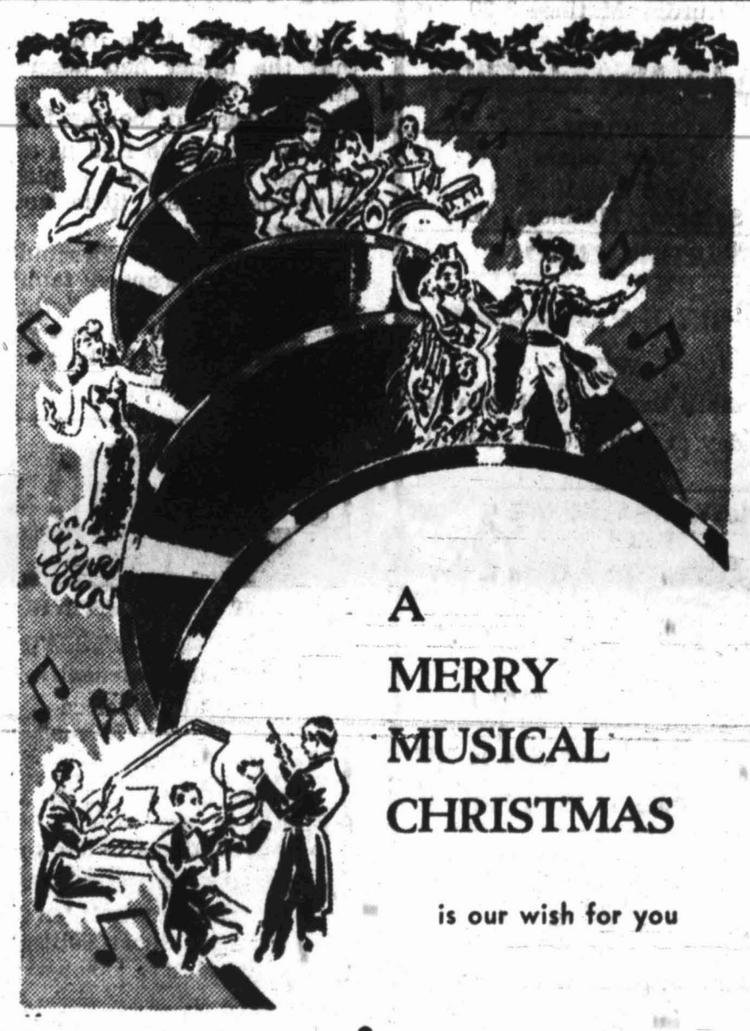
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Everybody Was His Winning, Charming Best At The Founding Tea For The Regional Symphony

BY KIPPY STUART

The Monterey Peninsula Regional Symphony is no longer a fleeting phantom haunting those of us hungry for the uplifting influence of music. On last Sunday afternoon, responding to invitations sent out by the Symphony committee, over two hundred interested citizens from all over the county assembled at the Carmel high school eager to become charter members of the Symphony association. This is no single community project. The Regional Symphony, by its name alone, proclaims its wide spread intent to include music lovers from far and near.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Grace Howden whose enthusiasm alone made an event of the day. The reception committee was composed of an impressive group of outstanding persons, representing music clubs and music organizations already established that thanks must be given for their untiring zeal in promoting a symphony of our own.

Where could one find a more delightful master of ceremonies than Hal Garrott? Mr. Garrott gathered the audience to him by admitting that he is a "witty fellow," then went on to prove his point. Mr. Garrott electrified the audience by announcing that the Los Angeles Symphony has already requested bookings in our new Peninsula auditorium (yet unborn.) The Los Angeles Symphony was informed that our auditorium is not quite finished. Mr. Garrott warned that we had better get going ourselves with our Symphony if we are to mtach the interest of these outlanders.

The San Francisco symphony is supported by taxes. The speaker threw up his hands and said: "What will support our symphony, God only knows," but Mr. Garrott did not look unduly worried. Not while he looked into the faces of that eager audience.

Mr. Leon Minear, vice principal of the Carmel highschool, is to conduct our Regional Symphony. Mr. Minear is an experienced musician and is at present completing his studies at Stanford University for his Doctorate degree. The fact that we have in our midst such an outstanding musician as Mr. Minear, brings our dream-symphony close. In his position as

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news.

Letters began to come from London. Lee was with the U. N. O. Berlin was his next stop. Then he came back to the states by way of South America. He had been round the world, and all the time doing things he liked to do, in a big way.

Lots of people in Carmel know and like Lee Van Atta. They are always saying, "Oh, yes, I knew him when," and now they can say, "I knew him before he put on his mittens and went off to the South Pole with Admiral Byrd."

—Sara Farrar

A. A. U. W. Party

The one meeting of the year devoted to social interests, the Monterey Peninsula branch of the American Association of University Women held its Christmas party on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. John Dougherty in Monterey. Before the prepared program an entertaining letter was read from Mrs. Everett Bibb, formerly of Carmel, who with her children recently joined her Army officer husband in Tokyo, and a short get-acquainted game was played by the members.

Miss Dorothy Dean of the Dean-Marion studio in Monterey gave an interpretive dance, Ecclesiastique, to the accompaniment, Symphonic Etude, Schumann, played by Miss Anggie Machado. Mr. Noel Sullivan, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Elizabeth Alexander, sang He Came All So Still, a fifteenth century carol to a composition by Roger Quilter; Slow, Horses, Slow, by Jalowicz; The Twelve Days of Christmas, words by Hillaire Belloc to composition of Austin; and as encore, The Early Morning. The program was greatly enjoyed by the members. Carrying out the Christmas spirit, tea, coffee, and plum pudding were served.

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that the father had deserted his family a few days ago and the mother was out looking for a job.

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Sons-Dads Have Big Time At Annual Block C Banquet

Coach Bill Hubbard of San Jose State College was the principal speaker at the annual Block C Dinner at Carmel High School cafeteria Friday night. The traditional Sons and Dads get together was opened by Bob Bell, president of the Block C, who introduced Toastmaster Leo Harris. Roger Byers welcomed the Dads and L. L. Dewar responded for the parents.

Representing the school board were Dr. W. T. Williams, Harold Nielsen and Peter Ferrante, the latter speaking for the school bonds to be voted on in January. Also among the speakers were Coaches George Mosolf and Chuck Dawson, Mayor of Carmel Fred Godwin, and the Honorable Al Rico, unofficial Mayor of Carmel High. Pledge to the flag was led by Bill Sapsis, and devotions were lead by Rev. A. B. Seccombe and Rev. James Crowther.

A program of music was given by a string trio composed of Leon Minear, Franklin Young and G. Anderson, and by John Farr, singing to the accompaniment of Jean Stanbridge.

Special event was Bob Doerr's edition of an adaptation of Casey at the Bat, describing Bob Bell running the wrong way.

The Leaders Club served dinner, and girl guests were the yell leaders, Joa Carr, Betty Hendricks and Diane Tait.

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GIRL SCOUTS TO DECORATE TREE

This afternoon at the Girl Scout House all the Girl Scouts and Brownies will assemble to trim the Christmas tree. A beautiful local pine has been selected and everyone will have a chance to make it sparkle. A Christmas program has been arranged and there will be the singing of Christmas carols by the entire group. The main feature of the day will be the collection and packing of toys and warm clothing for less fortunate children.

During the school vacation there will be no Scout meetings, but activities will be resumed on January 10.

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FLYING HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Lieutenant Colonel Edson Schull, who is stationed at Fort Leavenworth, will fly to Carmel to spend Christmas with his parents, General and Mrs. H. W. Schull, Carmelo and Ninth.

New B. A. President Boosts Bonds In Acceptance Speech

"I think we should give our kids as much as they would have had at Monterey High School," J. O. Handley told the members of the Carmel Business Association at the annual dinner meeting last week.

Handley, newly elected president of the Association, incorporated a talk urging support of the school bonds to be voted on in January, with his acceptance speech. After outlining the need for enlarging the school facilities, he pointed out that the bonds deserve the support of Carmel people from a business point of view. "An improved school system will enhance the value of your property."

Corum Jackson also spoke in favor of the bonds, and following a vote of the membership—about 50 were in attendance—the Association went on record as favoring the bonds.

Mark Raggett was elected vice-president; Barbara Norburg, secretary. Both Mrs. Norburg and retiring President Noel Van Bibber were given gifts in appreciation for their service to the Business Association during the past year.

In addition to the officers, the new board of directors consists of Charles Childers, Corum Jackson, Robert Spencer, Walter Nielsen, Eben Whittlesey, Ernest Morehouse and Al Fry.

Entertainment consisted of community singing of Christmas songs led by "Jimmy" Griffin, who also sang several solos, accompanied by Mrs. Griffin.

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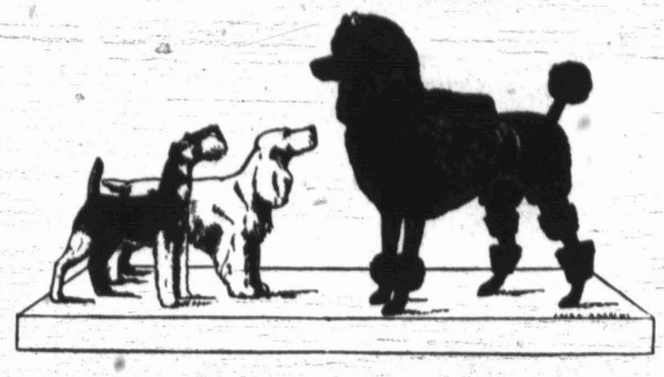

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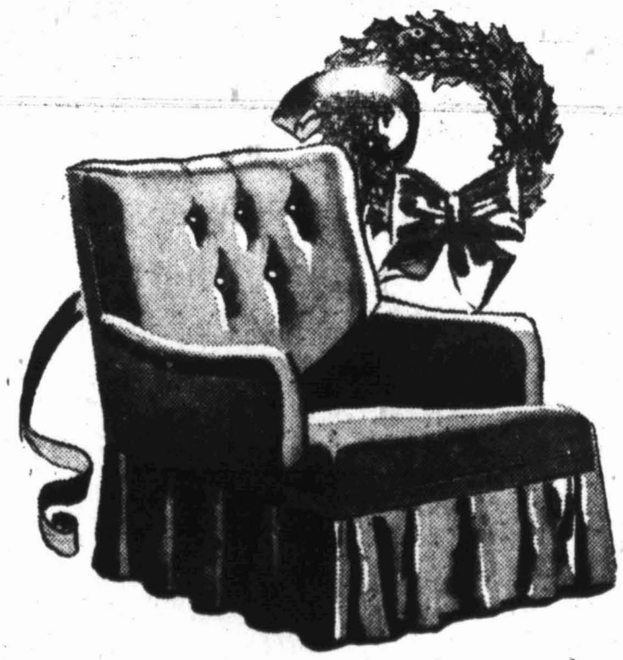

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Comdr. Blackford Tells Lions Of Del Monte Plans

At a meeting of the Carmel Lions Club Tuesday night, December 17, Comdr. Max Blackford, commanding officer of the Naval school at Del Monte, outlined proposed plans for the Naval Training School at Del Monte, providing the deal to purchase Del Monte for this purpose goes through.

The only post-graduate naval school of its kind in the United States, it will be staffed by scientists and technicians, most of whom will be civilians, and the curriculum will be devoted mainly to scientific and technical investigation and research of a highly specialized nature, some in the "top secret" category.

Beginning enrollment will be 500, but the full station complement will be 3,500 officers, with a minimum of five years service, who will attend lectures, and conduct experiments in the laboratories.

The laboratories will be among the best found anywhere, and it is expected that electronic device manufacturers and other interested parties will rely on the new applications of scientific principles developed here as their chief source of information. Top General Electric scientists and technical experts will be invited to come to Del Monte to lecture and advise, contrary to the practice of former years, when naval officers went to the General Electric laboratories for instruction.

The Navy will use the local air field but will keep only four or five planes here, Blackford revealed, so there is no danger of Naval air activity interfering with civilian use of the field. Planes will be for the purpose of letting air officers get their flying time in, and transporting students between here and Moffett Field.

If the school is established, classes may start in August of 1947, and according to Cmdr. Blackford, monthly pay roll disbursements when the full station complement is reached will amount to between $1,000,000 and $3,000,000 a year.

On the other hand, if the school is not established here after all, the naval station at Del Monte will be immediately terminated and July 1, 1947, will be the official closing date.

The speaker, Comdr. Blackford, was introduced by Fred Horne, of the Monterey Lions Club.

Alfred L. Aiken

Alfred L. Aiken, whose residence was in Carmel on La Loma Terrace, died Friday, December 13, at the Harkness Pavilion, a Presbyterian hospital in New York City, at the age of 76 years. He was a retired banker who had been president of the New York Life Insurance Company, president of the Massachusetts Bank Association and president of the savings bank section of the American Bankers' Association. He was the grandnephew of President Franklin Pierce.

He came to Carmel several years ago and married the former Mrs. Anna L. Hopkins of La Loma Terrace, in 1944. Following their marriage, they went to New York, returned here for a year, and left again for New York this spring.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Hopkins Aiken, his son, W. Appleton Aiken, who is a professor at Lehigh University, two grandchildren and two sisters, Miss Mary Aiken and Miss Jane Aiken.

Funeral services were held in the east.

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Hi Chatter

By MARY GREGORY

Christmas took over at C. H. S. this week and everybody's been hustling. The exceptions are Mr. John Farr's music groups, which has been preparing for many weeks to present such fine programs as those with which they have favored the community, and Mr. Richard Hagadorn's art classes, which also have been preparing for many weeks.

A final Christmas program is being presented by the Music Department today at 2:30 for the student body, parents and friends. The orchestra, girls' glee and the vocal ensemble will perform. There will also be solos by Joyce Stiles and Robert Jensen. In conclusion Mr. Farr will lead the audience in the singing of the familiar carols.

A beautiful background in the form of cathedral windows with a silhouette of a Bible scene has been made for the program by Joan Carr, Teddy Greene, and Betty Giem of the art department. Other work done by the art classes this Christmas season includes block print Christmas cards, stenciled Christmas paper, Winter Ball decorations, and the eye-catching posters advertising the ball. Robert Jensen also made the school's Christmas cards by the silk screen process.

A beautifully decorated Christmas tree standing at the entrance to the school has served as a collection center for a Food Drive which the Leaders Club sponsored for the benefit of needy families. The student body responded marvelously to the drive, which lasted only five days, yet yielded many basketsful of food.

The tree was put up and decorated by the Leaders Club, under the sponsorship of Miss Wright. Mr. Carl Rohr's contribution of a string of outdoor Christmas tree lights was gratefully received by the group, and made the lovely decorations possible.

The Leaders Club is also sponsoring caroling Christmas Eve for all interested high school students The group will set out at 8:30 from the town library to carol in the southwest portion of town.

Tomorrow is the big night for the 35 couples who have planned to go to the Winter Ball. The affair should be a tremendous success, judging from the amount of work put in by Susan Moore, commissioner of social activities, Robert Jensen and his decoration committee, and Betty Plaxton and her refreshments committee.

At an all-girl meeting last Monday it was decided to organize a Girls' League, to which every girl in the student body would belong. The league will give grand opportunities for developing leadership, and will also serve to unite all the girls of the school. Its members will have chances to become acquainted with girls from other Girls' Leagues in this area, and will occasionally sponsor its own speakers. It will have philanthropic and vocational purposes as well.

Today in the assembly the winner of a slogan contest sponsored by the student body for the new bond issue is being announced. Mrs. Elton Clark donated $10, which was divided into $5, $3, and $2 prizes for the winners. The winning slogans will be used to advertise the bond for the improvement of our school.

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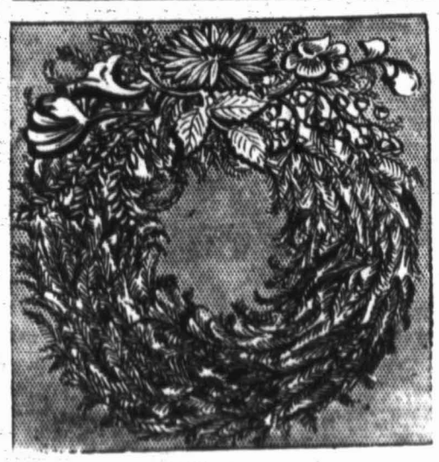

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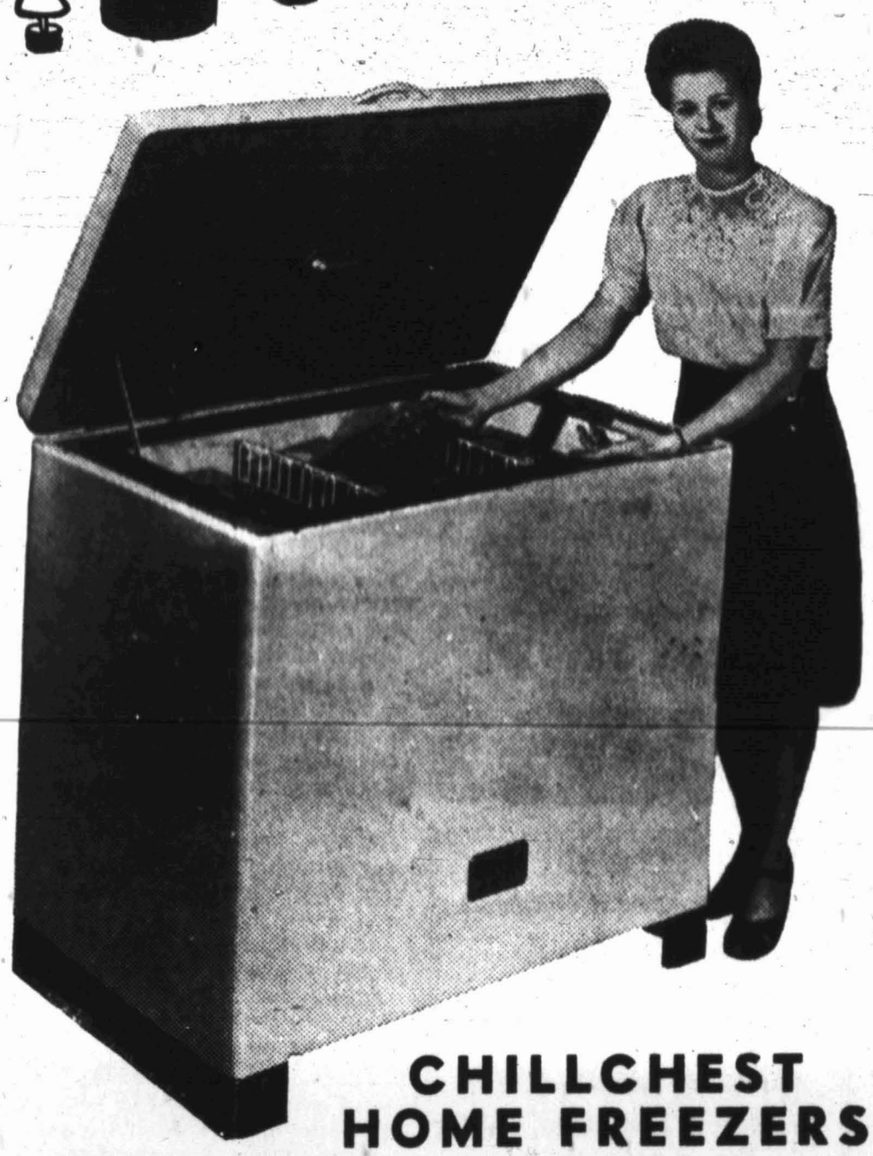

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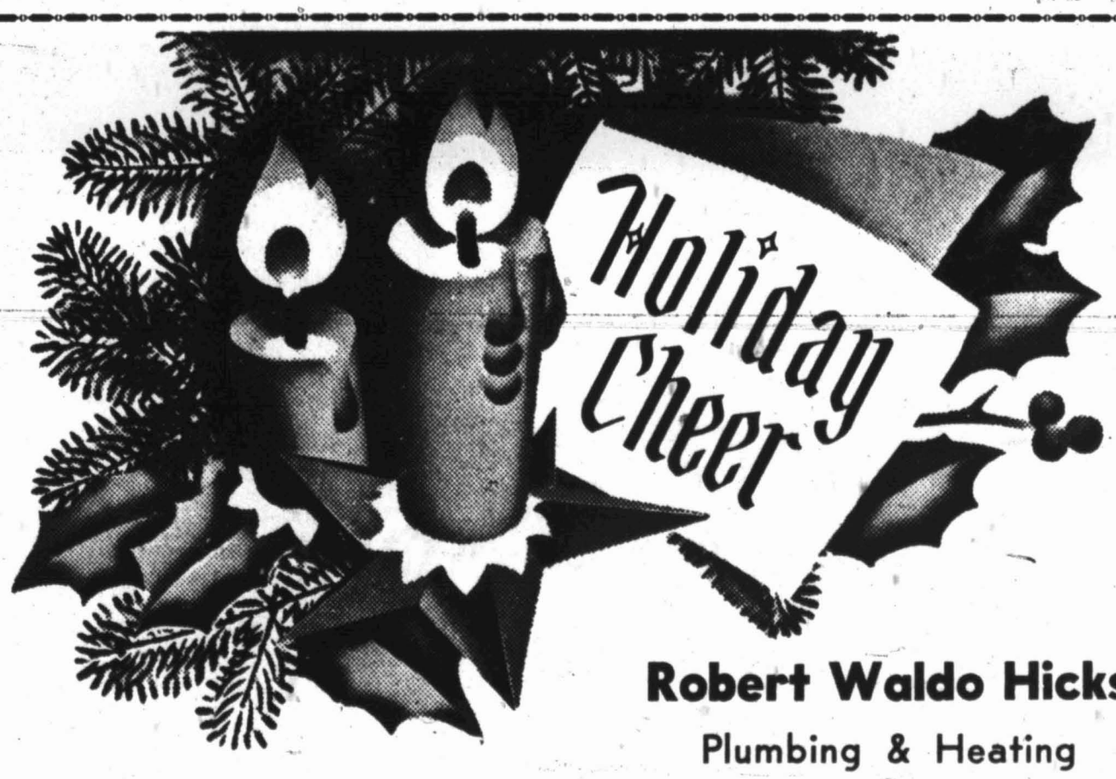

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Sporting NOTES

BASKETBALL ACTIVITY ON THE PENINSULA

Tonight: Monterey Lightweights at Carmel, 5:45 p. m.; Roosevelt High (Fresno) vs. Monterey, at Carmel, 7 p. m.; Fresno High at Carmel, 8:15 p. m.

Saturday, Dec. 21: Carmel vs. Roosevelt, at Monterey, 7 p. m.; Fresno at Mcnterey, 8:15 p. m.

BARGAIN HOOP BILL AT CARMEL GYM TONIGHT

Peninsula basketball fans will have an opportunity to see two of the best prep teams in California perform when the Fresno and Roosevelt high schools of Fresno take to the hardwoods tonight. Opposition will be furnished by the Carmel Padres and the Monterey Toreadors. At 7 p. m. the Monterey quintet will take on the highly-touted Roosevelt five and at 8:15 the Padres and Fresno teams will collide. Early season dope indicates that Roosevelt is the stronger team of the two visiting clubs as they are undefeated in six starts. Fresno has been to the post three times and has won two and lost one. Bakersfield high nosed them out last week in an over time game. The Roosevelt team is a veteran aggregation which has played together for three years and has compiled an enviable record in the strong Fresno league. The Fresno hoopsters are coached by Joe Kelly, All-Coast guard from the University of Southern California, and always play a highly scientific type of ball.

The Monterey and Carmel teams are starting from scratch this season but have shown rapid improvement in their last outings and will make the visitors hustle to walk off with the honors.

On Saturday night the four teams will play at Monterey with Carmel meeting Roosevelt at 7 and Monterey playing Fresno at 8:15. It is seldom that fans on the Peninsula have the opportunity of seeing a doubleheader of this caliber and it will be wise to make plans to be there early in order to get a seat.

The probable starting lineup for Carmel: Bill Cross, Perry Brown, Lew McCreery, Owen Greenan and Lee Winslow. For Monterey: Ron Roberts, Tommy Incavilia, Sal Colletto, Bill Wardle, and Dick Narvaez.

At 5:45 Friday evening at the Carmel gym the Carmel and Monterey lightweights will play a practice game in preparation for opening of league play after the Christmas vacation.

PADRES DROP PAIR TO HOLLISTER HAYBALERS

Running into stern competition in both lightweight and varsity divisions the Carmel High School basketball teams came home on the short end of the score in both games last Saturday night. The lightweight tussle was touch and go for the complete twenty-eight minutes and was not decided until the final gun. With but a minute to play and trailing by three points, Dick Gargiulo tanked a 50 footer which put the Padre Babes within a digit of the Hollister five. The last minute of the game saw as torrid a display of basketball as will be exhibited in any league this season. The ball was white hot and players were scattered from one end of the floor to the other. When the final whistle blew no one paid any attention to it and play continued until players and rooters stormed the floor to stop play. Final score: Hollister Lightweights 16, Carmel Lightweights 15. Dick Gargiulo played his usual sparkling game for the Padre Babes and swished through 12 points besides playing a splendid floor game. Murrey Wight and Bob Morrisseau turned in good defensive performances to keep the Haybaler fast break in check.

The Varsity game saw a good little team up against a better big team. The Hollister squad sported four boys who towered over the 6 foot 4 inch mark, and they had a galaxy of fleet-footed forwards and guards to go with the skyscrapers. The first quarter of the ball game was played on even terms with the score reading 6 to 6. In the second quarter the superior height and speed of the host school took telling effect and they drew away to a 13 to 7 lead at half time. Coming out for the second half the Padres found the hoop for two quick baskets and drew within two points of their opponents only to stall on defense and allow the hard-driving guards and forwards of Hollister to get loose for crip shots. Final score: Hollister 35, Carmel 17.

Dick Mulholland led the Carmel scorers with 7 points, while Bill Cross and Richard Templeman found the hoop for two baskets apiece. Owen Greenan, Lew McCreery, and Lee Winslow did yeoman work in holding the classy Hollister forwards in check and served notice that they will be difficult to score on during the season.

Starting lineups: Lightweights: Bill Sapsis, Murrey Wight, Dick Gargiulo, Bob Morrisseau, and Ward Gilbert. Varsity: Dick Templeman, Phil Wettengel, Perry Brown, Owen Greenan, and Lee Winslow.

Lightweight reserves who participated: Gene Vandervoort, Bob Berry, and Howard DeAmaral.

Varsity reserves: Bill Cross, Lew McCreery, Dick Mulholland, Max Hodges, Mat Schmutz, Rod Dewar, Dan Holmes, Bill Rissell, and Frank Timmins.

LEGION NINE TO PLAY FOR FIRST HALF FLAG SUNDAY

Boosted into a play-off spot by dint of a Stolte Builders victory over the strong Salinas Jaycee nine, the Carmel Legion pastimers will have an opportunity to emerge as first half champions if they can get over the college boys next Sunday. The Rah-Rah lads figured to romp over the Stolte outfit, but met a rough customer in Devlin, Builder hurler. Devlin, a recent addition to the Stolte team, weathered a rough first inning to hold the hard-hitting Salinas nine in check for the rest of the contest and finally came through with a well-deserved 6 to 4 victory.

The Carmel nine drew a bye last Sunday and with a good rest should prove mighty hard for the college boys to handle. Gordy Miyamoto and Jim Hale are both in first class condition and anxious to hurl their team into a first half pennant. Ky Miyamoto will be behind the log for the Legionnaires and will draw on his wealth of baseball knowledge to outguess the opponent's hitters. Andy Del Monte and Jack Giles are confident their charges can take the measure of the collegians and bring glory to the Carmel Legion.

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With all the old bond issues paid off, we are now down to 15c for the present high school bonds, and the addition of another 15c would leave us, in the city, 3c less than nine-year average!

"I know I need not stress ability to pay," says Mr. Mawdsley, "but both the areas inside the city and outside compare favorably with our neighbors. Carmel Outside has a tax rate of $3.22 as against a $3.62 average for twelve other selected Monterey County districts, a margin of 40c in our favor."

"How does the city of Carmel compare with its neighbors? In the case of the incorporated cities of Monterey County, Carmel has a big lead over all the cities of the county, ranging from a margin of 50c in the case of Salinas, to a margin of 82½c in the case of Monterey."

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From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Going Fishing? Here's How!

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But on Saturday, each got back from Seward's creek with a catch that couldn't have differed by more than several ounces!

Each had used his favorite kind of fly, his favorite rod and his favorite place to cast. So over a friendly glass of beer, they allowed as how maybe they were *both* right . . . which is how so many arguments should end.

From where I sit, if we all respected one another's different opinions—whether about trout flies, or drinking beer, or voting, life would be a whole lot pleasanter.

Joe Marsh

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Christmas Greetings

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THE URGE AND I . . .

By John McDermott

Along with the legislation facing the new congress I hope to introduce through my own private lobby a bill banning culinary compositions on man's superiority in the kitchen. They just lead to trouble.

The words of Smorsh Gormet, chief chef of the Hotel Metropole in Transvania, who tests his soups with a dirty thumb and never allows women within ten feet of his ranges, and the colored pictures of leading playwrights and producers tossing their own concocted salads with are "the delight of his many international friends who visit his penthouse apartment" have led many good men to the conclusion that they, too, can mix a master dish and from there is a straight line to ruin.

For example I've fried an egg now and then and boiled a pot of coffee and burned a couple of lamb chops without suffering ulcers or heart burn. But one day when I discovered a recipe on the back of a shortening jar for "tender, flaky, succulent, like mother-used-to-make" apple pie, I thought that here was the chance to enter the sacred company of masculine cooks. I'd bake an apple pie.

Propping up the recipe in front of me and lining up pans and cans in necessary order, everything looked neat and efficient. Yessir, nothing to it.

I sifted the flour carefully into a bowl (slopping over just a bit and scattering flour on the floor which I ignored with a professional laugh) and proceeded to "cut in" half of the shortening until it was as fine as meal and then "cut in" the other half of the shortening until it was the size of large peases. This insures flakiness. It said so on the label.

Then I tossed in five tablespoons of cold water and mixed carefully with the dough. Unfortunately, I overtossed on one spoonful and the water splashed to the floor on top of the scattered flour, and it wasn't until I was between the lemon and the cinnamon some time later that I found things were growing sticky underfoot. I took a ten minute break and scrubbed the floor and changed my shoes.

According to the recipe, one half of the dough was to be rolled and lined in a 9-inch pie plate. Sounds simple, doesn't it. I misread it. I read, roll one half inch of dough and line a 9-inch pie plate. So I blissfully rolled all of the dough to a half inch thickness on the drainboard . . . forgetting to flour the drainboard which I think accounts for the soapy taste . . . and after much sticking and patting and coaxing the half inch of dough was lined in the bottom of the pan.

The recipe said the pie required six apples but the pan looked filled after slicing up three and I thought perhaps I had a small 9-inch pan. The apples took no time and my confidence began to return. The sprinkled sugar and the cinnamon took no time at all. Looking the recipe over again I see that I left out the salt but what possible difference can a pinch of salt make? Exactly?

For some reason very little dough was left to finish the top. However I cut the remaining dough in narrow strips . . . also a half an inch thick . . . made a lattice work across the top, lit the oven and plopped the masterpiece inside.

It seemed several light years later that it was done, and I held

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Sunset Teachers Are Making Most Of Yule Holiday

Mrs. Sylvia Jordan will celebrate her son, Eade's, first Christmas at home since he joined the army. "Gracias a Dios" said Mrs. Jordan in her best Spanish. Eade is at San Jose State College, majoring in electrical engineering.

Miss Jeanne Staffelbach will go to San Jose where they will be a gathering of family and relatives at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Staffelbach.

Miss Florence Morrow will remain in Carmel and assist in taking the Christmas bird census here for the National Audubon Society.

Mrs. Ann Uzzell is going to have her daughter, Mrs. Robert Littlefield, and her granddaughter, Ann, and Dick Uzzell for Christmas, and will spend New Year's Day with an old friend in Stockton.

Miss Jean Stanbridge will enjoy her holidays with her family in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Hull will divide Christmas Day with Mrs. Hull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Riley in Oakland, and Mrs. Hull's people, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Hull, in San Francisco. They will also go to Palo Alto, where Mr. Hull will attend a two day meeting of the California Mathematics Council, December 27-28.

Mrs. Dorothy Skelley and Patrick are driving to Los Angeles with Mrs. Virginia Nye and will spend Christmas with Mrs. Skelley's mother, Mrs. Mildred L. Russel, her sister, Mrs. Robert Burl Mueller, and her husband. On New Year's Eve Mrs. Skelley will be the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Leon W. Gray at March Field.

Mrs. Edna C. Lockwood sets off as soon as school closes for Charlake, Highlands, California, where she will enjoy the holidays with her family.

Mrs. Winifred Regier, after some time with her parents, the J. R. Regiers of Monterey, will visit the Forrest Eadens in San Francisco.

Mrs. Constance McLaughlin goes to Stockton for the holidays where she will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McLaughlin.

Mrs. Marjcrie McCausland will have her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. Donald Musgrave of Los Angeles as guests for Christmas week.

Miss Lela Becker treks to Santa Clara for a family reunion with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Becker, and two brothers who have been in service since '41, and will be home for their first Christmas in five years.

Mrs. Bea Rea goes to Madera where she will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mastrofine, and may go to Fish Camp in the Sierras.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Rogers will spend a week in Los Angeles, where they will be the guests of the Charles Luleys. The Rogers are really planning to step out, visit a few night spots, and take in some broadcasts. Remainder of the vacation will be at home with Mr. Rogers' father, Charles D. Rogers of San Diego, as their guest.

Miss Harriet A. Norman expects to spend the holidays at home.

Miss Dorothy Geiselhart and Marie Geiselhart will return to their home in San Jose and be with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Geiselhart for the holidays.

Mrs. Mabel Kerr will join her daughter, Dorothy Kerr, in San Francisco.

Mrs. Virginia Nye goes south where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Florence M. Wilkerson in Santa Monica, a sister, Mrs. J. L. Kirk, in Los Angeles, and Mrs. William Galloway in Beverly Hills.

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SUNSET SCHOOL NOTES

Mrs. Ann Uzzell's
Sixth Grade

BOND ELECTION DAY

Flash! By the way have you heard? We had a special student body meeting the other day. Our speaker was Dr. L. A. Williams, who is a member of the school board. He told us about the two new neighborhood schools needed to be built, so there would be room for all the children to attend school.

In order to do this there must be a bond election to raise the money. These will really be our bonds, because they will run for 25 years, and most of us will be paying taxes before that time.

We're willing to help pay the $450,000 needed so we are asking our parents and friends to vote yes on bond election day, January 28, 1947. Won't you help, too?

—Mary Adams.

Every Tuesday and Thursday we have basketball practice. We have four teams chosen. The captains and names of teams are: Henry Overin, We-Hopes; John DeAmaral, Aces; Jonathan Rigdon, Were-Wolves, and Stewart Emery, Panthers. Each team has five players and one sub. The scheduled time for these games is 3:45 in the gym.

Nathan Stiles.

CHINESE ORPHANAGE GIFT

This year, as of many years before, the Chinese Mission Orphanage is looking forward to the yearly Christmas gift sent to them by the pupils and teachers of Sunset School.

Every room in the school receives a list of the children in the orphanage. Then each room decides whether the gift shall be for a boy or a girl. And lastly they decide what the gift will be. It is then attractively wrapped and sent to the orphanage.

There is also a large gift sent for all the children of the orphanage. The gift bearer from each room presents this gift to the Christ Child in the Christmas play. It is then sent to the orphanage.

—Ruth Harrington.

MY TRIP TO SAN FRANCISCO

My parents took me to San Francisco during the Thanksgiving holidays. We stayed at the Fairmont Hotel. There were steep hills on all sides. We took the cable car up and down the hills. We saw lots of Christmas things in the windows. We took a trip through Chinatown and saw lots of funny sights. I had fun on my trip.

—Miner Smith.

APPENDIX REMOVED

John Stewart, a popular member of our class, had his appendix removed last Monday at the Peninsula Hospital. We are all sorry he is ill, and we hope he will be back to school in time for our Christmas party. Everyone wrote him a letter today.

—Thomas McGlynn.

BASKETBALL SUPPLIES

The basketball season has just opened. We needed more equipment to be able to practice. Mr. Viljoen has installed a second basketball goal and a unicourt on the boys' play field.

A unicourt is a pole with a hoop on top of it. The player tries to throw the ball up into the hoop.

We are very happy with our new equipment.—Bradley Dixon.

GIRL'S SPORTS

On every Monday and every other Thursday the girls in the sixth and seventh grades have after school sports. We change our games every quarter. Last quarter we played kickball and had two teams. Our captains were Julia Graves and Allene Knight. This quarter we are playing soccer. Our captains are Carol Timbers and Judy Harget. Our coach is Miss Staffelbach. We have lots of fun.

—Judy Harget.

JOLLY CHRISTMAS

When Christmas is here
The people say,
Merry Christmas! A Happy New Year!
On this wonderful day.

All the windows shining bright
Sparkling trees with colored lights
Brings great cheer to each house,
Even the little door mouse.

Under the big Christmas tree
There are presents, even for me.
Some are bikes, bats and balls
Some presents are short, some tall.

What a jolly Christmas
This is going to be.

—Carolyn Fratessa.

Mrs. McCausland's
First Grade

Mr. Hull said we need more schools. We have too many children on our play field and I always get hurt on my knees.

—Roger Wright.

Many, many people are moving to Carmel and they will have too many children—so we have to have more schools.—Michael Raggett.

I would like a school near my house so I could walk home after school every day.

If the school house is close to you you will never be late to school.—Carol Whitesides.

The reason why we need more schools is that many children are now growing up and they should learn to read.

I am certainly going to tell my Daddy and Mummy to vote for money.—Becky McKinzie.

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We like comforting warmth indoors, too, even though we seldom see a White Christmas outside with footprints in the snow.

Yes, Christmas in California is colorful, bright and warm—with flowers and boughs of red berries in house and garden—with light and heat in abundance at the flick of a switch. And to many of us such things are among the finest gifts of the season.

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Days Before Yesterday

From the Christmas Issue (December 19) 1930:

He stood there on the corner of Ocean and Camino Real. He was a massive figure all cloaked in red. Had not his beard been stained tobacco, it would have been all white.

"Hey, get an eye-full of that guy!" One of two newspaper reporters pointed to him.

"Shhhhh!" the other reporter silenced him. "Here's where we get a good story. That's Santa Claus!"

"You're . . ." but the reported didn't finish, for the next moment they were both shaking hands with Santa.

"Can I help a stranger lost in the village?" asked one of the reporters innocently.

"Well, you might," St. Nicholas replied, a little uncertain. Don't happen to be reporters, are you?"

"No," one of the reporters quickly lied. "My name's Vinassa. I sell fish in Monterey. Meet my friend, Mr. Tiburso, he cuts hair. Is there something we can do for you?"

"I'm a stranger in these parts," continued Santa Claus. "I like to know who the celebrities in town are. Could you help me out?"

"You fortunately struck the right persons," one of the reporters said. "I cut their hair. Mr. Vinassa sells them fish. Celebrities, you know, eat lots of fish. It's brain food. And the guys in this town have to have lots of brains!"

Without further word, the reporters followed St. Nicholas into an improved Ford and the three of them sitting in the front seat started down Ocean avenue.

They had gone but a block, when they saw on the corner, looking up at the sky, Herbert Heron.

"Who's he?" asked St. Nicholas.

"Bert Heron. He's our mayor. Once in a while he writes poetry. At other times he runs the Seven Arts Bookshop. He knows Shakespeare by heart and reads the Pine Cone every week."

"Write down a doll," Santa dictated and away they went.

"Who's that standing in front of the real estate office?" he again inquired.

"John Kenneth Turner," the reporter replied. "He wrote Barbarous Mexico, but he didn't know how barbarous it was until they put a price of his head".

"Write down a new shirt," Santa ordered.

"And over there?

"George Seideneck, the artist. He paints. Once he was arrested for cutting down two trees. Now he runs the Carmel Academy of Art."

"Give him the ax," dictated Santa. "And over there. Who's the woman?"

"Daisy Bostick, ask her, she knows. She knows more about houses and chimneys than you do."

"Fine. Put down some rent signs for her. But who just crossed the street?"

"Clara Kellogg, city councilman, school trustee and in charge of keeping Carmel's streets in good order."

"I think a steam roller for the streets will be a good present. Yes! Write that down. Who is she talking to?"

"William P. Silva, sold his business when he was nearly fifty years of age to take up painting as a profession. What they said was impossible he made possible and astonished the critics, besides winning a reputation for himself."

And so they continued through the streets of Carmel, jotting down presents and p o i n t i n g proudly to those who have jumped out of Who's Who only to land in the village. Among the others mentioned to Santa were:

Gertrude Atherton, Armin Hansen, Arthur Hill Gilbert, John Catlin, Dean Denny and Hazel Watrous, Jimmy Hopper and Fred Bechdolt.

EVENT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

I think it was the evening, but I'm not quite sure—
A kind of golden twilight on the leaf-strewn floor—
Or tomorrow being Christmas, or the gifts in the heart,
As I came through the gate, but I stood with a start!

For there on the steps of the old brown house
With the soft light falling through the pine-tree boughs,
Were multitudes of angels going up and down
Like busy hordes of shoppers in a heaven-bright town . . .

All bearing gifts in their lifted hands,
From the sun, from the stars, from the earth's far lands,
With their long robes flowing like the flames in the west,
And their eyes all shining with the light of the blest.

—Dora Hagemeyer

CRY OUT OF SLEEP

Turn of the world—dipping towards the east,
Bring again morning out of the curve of night—
Bring again Christmas with deep inner peace
And the cradle of love and the shadowless light.

But no, let us not wait for the turning of time
Must we be slaves to a season, dull servants of fate?
Let us bring morning ourselves. There's a crag we must climb
Yet we doze in the fields. It already grows late.

Let us arise in our sleep and be rough with the dream!
We are drugged, we are dazed, we must wake! we must wake!
Time has us under a spell. It is terror to fail!
Only a birth-step can save us, and that we must take!

—D. H.

A CAROL OF CHRISTMAS JOY

Angels of blessing
Near and far
Felicitate
The Christ-Child's star.

Happy the carol,
Lilting the song,
They notify
A cherub throng
That joy abides
In friendly gain,
Intensifies
The Christ-Child's reign.

May gentle laughter,
Holy mirth
Consecrate
His Cheer on earth.

—Margaret Lewis Albanese

Vet's Christmas

By Curly Wettengel

The second year that a Christmas has been observed since the close of the war means a lot to one family in Carmel.

That family hasn't really had a home during the years since one of the members became very patriotic, and though of an age that the draft couldn't catch, one day went down to the draft board got the necessary papers, took them home so his wife could give him permission to volunteer, and went off to war to whip the Japs and Germans.

The family remembers well when the supposedly head of the family was slogging through the mud and dust of Fort Knox, Kentucky, as a buck private in basic training. They remember well the first Christmas when he was in OCS at Fort Sill, and at 4 o'clock the day before Christmas, it was announced he would get Christmas day off and could visit the family, if he could get there. Only ninety miles away was Christmas with the family. A hitch hike got him there at 10 o'clock on Christmas Eve, with no one expecting him. Brief though the visit was, no one complained that he had to leave at noon Christmas Day to be back in camp at 6 p. m.

So went the Christmases, and never was a grumble sounded from any of the clan. They took it on the chin. They weren't going through the mud, but they were fighting it out back at home.

Finally in '44 the "head" of the family was transferred to Fort Ord. Arriving there, he found out he was to be a permanent party member, and with joy in his heart that he could get the little group back together, he telephoned home, said, "Store the furniture and come on out. We can get another place to live after the war is over because all the folks back home will be doing big favors for the guy who went out to help make his country safe for democracy."

Out they came. It was a grand time for everyone. Then the war ended, but the "head" of the family had landed in a hospital, which had a tenacious hold on him. Finally, in April, 1946, it was decided the medics had fooled with him enough, and that separation after four years of service was in order. Everybody was happy because we could get back home and see the furniture and stuff, which had been stored for so long.

Back to the homeland went the "head" of the family, full of the assurance that soon everything would be fine in the way of a home. But no, it wasn't there. A two room flat, way beyond ceiling price, was all that could be found. The young son said he wasn't interested in that, and he wanted to live in Carmel anyway. After much confusion, and you might call it fussing, the "head" of the family landed back in Carmel in August, with a dandy looking straw hat, to make the Village his home. Again the family was trying to be together. Kind friends had been furnishing a marvelous home for the lad, but that wasn't the way things were supposed to be.

Again a search for a home for the three of us. We had a room for two of us, there was a nice home for the boy with friends, but that wasn't enough. We kept trying. And after all the months since April, the family last week finally moved into a house which has room enough so the little woman and the "head" of the family don't look daggers at each other all the time.

It is going to be a good Christmas in that home. Appreciation of the good things comes from being without them, but sometimes you can be without nearly too long. A small Christmas tree, with all its trimmings, won't let the people who see it know how happy this family is to be back together again. There will be no thought of disappointment because the family's furnishings are still stored away in that storage place some 1,700 miles away, and goodness knows when it will find its way out here. That doesn't enter into the picture right now. It is going to be a grand Christmas for at least one veteran and his family.

Legion Auxiliary Opens Gift Drive For "Those Who Gave"

The time for the biggest Christmas Party in the world has rolled around again. As in 1945, The American Legion Post No. 512 of Carmel, The ladies Carmel Legion Auxiliary and Mr. Eddie Cantor will again sponsor the Gifts To The Yanks Who Gave campaign.

"This nation wide drive will again make certain that those who gave so much for Our Country in the winning of the war are not forgotten at Christmas time," say the sponsors. "To the ill, the wounded and the disabled hospitalized, added cheer must be extended this Christmas. They must not be forgotten nor neglected — the sacred obligation we have willingly assumed must be carried out in full effect. They must be shown that we do care, and that we appreciate their sacrifices in behalf of us and our Nation."

Boxes are located in various business houses, such as Childers Service Station, Carmel Realty Office, Spaldings Sporting Goods Shop, M. J. Murphy Cabinet Shop, on San Carlos near Ocean Avenue, and in many other shops, where Carmel people can deposit gifts. A list of suggested gifts can be found on the outside of the boxes.

The Carmel Legion Auxiliary Post 512 will wrap the gifts, if they haven't already been wrapped.

Regional Symphony Rehearsals Start On January 6

Those interested in playing in the Regional Symphony Orchestra are requested to get in touch with Mr. Leon Minear, Box 1373, Carmel. Rehearsals will start January 6 at 8 p.m., in the Carmel High School.

Mr. Leon Minear, who is conductor pro-tem, has been invited by the University of California again to direct their summer work shop. The organization attracts about 600 high school and junior college students from the entire west coast every year for an intensive festival of music and study. This is the sixth annual work shop sponsored by the University. Mr. Minear is returning not only as director, but as vice-principal of the University of California's Demonstration High School, which is organized each year as an example of good practice in secondary education.

Mr. Minear is vice principal of Carmel High School.

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SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Carmel Unified School District of the County of Monterey, State of California, that in accordance with law, an election will be held on the 28th day of January, 1947, in said District, between the hours of 7:00 o'clock a. m. and 7:00 o'clock p. m., during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open, at which election there will be submitted the question of issuing and selling bonds of said District to the amount of Four Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of raising money for the following purposes:

(a) The purchasing of school lots.

(b) The building or purchasing of school buildings.

(c) The making of alterations or additions to the school building or buildings other than such as may be necessary for current maintenance, operation, or repairs.

(d) The repairing, restoring or rebuilding of any school building damaged, injured, or destroyed by fire or other public calamity.

(e) The supplying of school buildings with furniture or necessary apparatus of a permanent nature.

(f) The permanent improvement of the school grounds.

All of the foregoing purposes enumerated herein are hereby united and shall be voted upon as one single proposition.

Said bonds proposed to be issued and sold shall be of the denominations hereinafter specified, and shall bear interest at a rate of not exceeding five per cent per annum, payable annually for the first year the bonds have to run, and semi-annually thereafter, and shall be numbered from 1 ot 450 consecutively, payable as follows, to wit:

Bonds Numbered (Inclusive)	Denomination	To Run
1 to 8	$1,000.00	1 year
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17 to 25	$1,000.00	3 years
26 to 35	$1,000.00	4 years
36 to 45	$1,000.00	5 years
46 to 55	$1,000.00	6 years
56 to 66	$1,000.00	7 years
67 to 78	$1,000.00	8 years
79 to 90	$1,000.00	9 years
91 to 104	$1,000.00	10 years
105 to 118	$1,000.00	11 years
119 to 134	$1,000.00	12 years
135 to 150	$1,000.00	13 years
151 to 168	$1,000.00	14 years
169 to 186	$1,000.00	15 years
187 to 206	$1,000.00	16 years
207 to 227	$1,000.00	17 years
228 to 249	$1,000.00	18 years
250 to 273	$1,000.00	19 years
274 to 299	$1,000.00	20 years
300 to 326	$1,000.00	21 years
327 to 354	$1,000.00	22 years
355 to 384	$1,000.00	23 years
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417 to 450	$1,000.00	25 years

For the purpose of holding said election, the School District shall constitute one Bond Election Precinct, as hereinafter described; and the persons hereinafter named being competent and qualified electors of said School District, and of their respective said Bond Election Precinct are hereby appointed officers of election, as hereinafter designated, to serve in said Bond Election Precinct, as hereinafter set forth; and said Officers of Election shall conduct said election and make returns thereof pursuant to law.

The voting precinct, polling place and election officers, duly designated and appointed are as follows:

BOND ELECTION PRECINCT shall include all the area embraced in the Carmel Unified School District.

POLLING PLACE therein shall be at Sunset School, San Carlos Street.

Officers of Election for said Bond Election Precinct: Harry Clement, Inspector; Florinda Holm, Judge; Viola Kelsey, Judge.

Each qualified elector of said Carmel Unified School District shall be entitled to vote only in the School District Bond Election Precinct of which he is a resident.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 10th day of December, 1946.

HAROLD NIELSEN,
L. A. WILLIAMS,
ANITA W. DORMODY,
PETER J. FERRANTE,
MARTHA H. MOLLER,
Members of the Governing Board of Carmel Unified School District, of Monterey County, California.

(Date of First pub., Dec. 13, 1946)
(Date of Last pub., Dec. 27, 1946)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 9357

In the Matter of the Estate of Agnes H. Haagenson, also known as Agnes Hogg Condon, also known as PATRICIA CONDON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, Milton A. Haagenson, as Executor of Last will of Agnes H. Haagenson, also known as Agnes Hogg Condon, also known as Patricia Condon, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said Deceased, that within six months after the first publication of this Notice, they either file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Monterey, or exhibit them with the necessary vouchers to the said Executor at the law office of George P. Ross, Room 3, Las Tiendas Building, Carmel, California, which last named place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Deceased.

DATED: December 2, 1946.

MILTON A. HAAGENSON,
Executor aforesaid.

George P. Ross, Carmel, Calif.,
Attorney for Executor.
(First publication Dec. 6, 1946)
(Last publication Jan. 3, 1947.)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 9334

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry G. Lapham, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Raymond W. Lapham, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Henry G. Lapham, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Monterey, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executor at the law offices of Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street, at 490 Calle Principal, in the City of Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, which last named place the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said decedent.

Dated at Monterey, California, November 29, 1946.

RAYMOND W. LAPHAM
As Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Henry G. Lapham, Deceased.

Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street
Attorneys for Executor.
(First publication: Dec. 6, 1946)
(Last publication: Jan. 3, 1947)

CERTIFICATE OF PERSON DOING BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the undersigned, RICHARD LEE GILPIN, is transacting business at Monterey, in the County of Monterey, State of California, under the name and style of THIS IS THE PLACE TO LIVE, as the sole owner and publisher of a guide book of that name, in Monterey, at Box 1524; that his residence address and the place where he resides is at Big Sur, Monterey County, California.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1946.

RICHARD LEE GILPIN

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF MONTEREY)

On this 6th day of December, 1946, before me, SHELBURN ROBISON, a notary public in and for the County of Monterey, State of California, residing therein, duly sworn, personally appeared RICHARD LEE GILPIN known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at my office in said County of Monterey, State of California, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

SHELBURN ROBISON
Notary Public in and for the County of Monterey, State of California.

(Seal)
Robison & Whittlesey
Attorneys at Law
Carmel, California.
(Date of first pub.: Dec. 13, 1946)
(Date of last pub.: Jan. 3, 1947)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 9353

In the Matter of the Estate of JOSEPH WARREN STILWELL, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Winifred Alison Stilwell, as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Joseph Warren Stilwell, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Monterey, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executrix at the law offices of Messrs. Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street at 490 Calle Principal in the City of Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, which last named place the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said decedent.

Dated at Monterey, California, December 4, 1946.

WINIFRED ALISON STILWELL, As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Joseph Warren Stilwell, deceased.

Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street,
Attorneys for said Executrix.
490 Calle Principal,
Monterey, California.
Date of First Pub: Dec. 6, 1946.
Date of Last Pub: Jan. 3, 1947.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 9326

In the Matter of the Estate of Ella M. Clement, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Harry L. Clement, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Ella M. Clement, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Monterey, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executor at the law offices of Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street, 490 Calle Principal, in the City of Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, which last named place the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said decedent.

Dated at Monterey, California, November 20, 1946.

HARRY L. CLEMENT,
As Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Ella M. Clement, Deceased.

Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street,
Attorneys for Executor.
(Date of first pub., Nov. 22, 1946)
(Date of last pub., Dec. 20, 1946)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea hereby invites sealed bids for the construction of a frame and stucco building to be erected on the southwest corner of Seventh Avenue and Mission Streets, Carmel-by-the-Sea, according to plans and specifications prepared by Robert R. Jones, copies of which are on file with and may be obtained from the City Clerk of said City.

Said bids must be filed with the City Clerk of said city not later than 5:00 p. m. on Wednesday, January 8, 1947, and will be opened at the regular meeting of the City Council to be held in the City Hall of said city at 7:45 p. m. on Wednesday, January 8, 1947.

Said bids must be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to 10% of the said bid or a Bid Bond issued by a surety company duly licensed to engage in business in the State of California, guaranteeing that if his bid be accepted, the bidder will enter into a contract for the construction of the said building and furnish a labor and material bond and a faithful performance bond, each equal to 50% of the amount of the contract.

Notice is also given that the contract entered into between the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and the successful bidder will require that the contract be completed, according to the plans and specifications, on or before March 15, 1947, and will provide a penalty of $25.00 per day for each day after the 15th of March, 1947, that the said structure remains uncompleted.

The City Council proposes to let a contract for the construction of the said building to the lowest responsible bidder, but reserves the right to reject any and all bids presented and re-advertise for further bids. If any two or more bids are the same and are the lowest bids received, the City Council may accept either bid.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 5th day of December, 1946.

PETER MAWDSLEY,
City Clerk of said City.
(Date of first pub., Dec. 13, 1946)
(Date of last pub., Dec. 20, 1946)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 9336

In the Matter of the Estate of A. ACTON HALL, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Miriam Whitney Hall, as Executrix of the last will and testament of A. Acton Hall,, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Monterey, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executrix at the law offices of Messrs. Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street at 490 Calle Principal in the City of Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, which last named place the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said decedent.

Dated at Monterey, California, December 3, 1946.

MIRIAM WHITNEY HALL,
As Executrix of the last will and testament of A. Acton Hall, deceased.

Hudson, Martin, Ferrante & Street,
Attorneys for said Executrix.
490 Calle Principal,
Monterey, California.
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Luba Sharoff Shows Talent Of Many Facets; Has Great Promise

By Glenn Clairmonte

Once again Edward Kuster has brought an artist to Carmel at the beginning of a great career, and those who witnessed the original one-act plays presented at the Playhouse last Monday evening can find little enough to say in expressing their gratitude to him. Miss Sharoff is extremely young and beautiful, but she has the depth of feeling that would seem to betray a long and tragic experience with life. Added to this she has that rare gift for communicating her feeling to the audience, which is the criterion of art.

The moment Miss Sharoff stepped from the wings the spectators held their breath, for her grace and refreshing sense of intimacy obliterated the footlights,, making her one with the lives of those who watched, so that they laughed and suffered with her. Her exquisite taste and talent for design were responsible for her costumes and for her dramatic movements as fluid as dance. She herself had composed the unexpectedly entertaining and deeply moving lines of each play, lines full of colorful pictures, in seemingly unconscious poetry. It had been advertised that she would appear in "Exotic Sketches," but this could explain only one tenth of her value. Each character she portrayed was breathlessly human instead of merely exotic, yet, it is true, the spectacle of beauty was devastatingly unique. Far from being mere sketches the pieces on her program each had full dramatic content. Miss Sharoff is outstandingly superior to the usual diseuse. She has rhythm and voice and timing and suspense, what the psychologists are now calling the Eros quality. And her humor surprises a laugh from the audience with evactly the right answer to the classic demand for relief from the tragic.

If we had been told that the best writer in the country had written her lines, that the most famous designer had planned her costumes,, that the greatest producer had directed her stage presence, we might easily have believed it. When it turns out that Miss Sharoff herself is responsible for all the angles, we can only predict unrivalled success for her tour of the east. May she return another year to give Carmel another chance to acclaim her genius!

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Mrs. Howden Thanks Many Helpers For Reception Success

Enthusiastic music lovers poured out en masse for the reception and tea given last Sunday afternoon at the High School music room for the formation of a Regional Symphony Association. Mrs. Grace Howden, who is chairman of the Regional Symphony committee, and has given untiring work and effort in its behalf, expressed pleasure that the response and cooperation has been so uniform and reiterated her appreciation for the splendid work that all the committees had done.

Master of ceremonies of the affair was Hal Garrott. Guests of honor and those in the receiving line were Mrs. Grace Howden, Mrs. Joseph W. Stilwell, Dr. and Mrs. Orley See of Oakland, Mayor and Mrs. Fred Godwin, Mr. and Mrs. John Morse, Mr. Leon Minear, Mrs. R. R. Wallace, Mr. Zenas Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harris, Mrs. Clyde F. Dyke, Mr. Franklin Dixon, Mrs. Carmalita Benson, Mr. Eben Whittlesey, Mr. Rue Manhire, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Hopkins.

On the welcoming committee were Mr. Noel Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ferrante, Mrs. Wm. D. Powell, Col. and Mrs. George W. Stuart, Mrs. L. J. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Roudi Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nielsen, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Wurzmann, Major and Mrs. R. C. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kuster, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKinstry, Mrs. Verne Skillman, Mrs. Ruth Cooke, Mrs. Sophie McGraw, Mrs. Helen Cranston, Mrs. Louise Grigsby, Mrs. Kathryn Lansdowne, Mrs. Margaret Williams, Miss Flora Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. John Farr, Mr. and Mrs. John Abernethy, Mr. and Mrs. John Westover, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Abinante.

Presiding at the tea tables were: For Salinas: Mrs. Lorell McCann and Mrs. Evert Lindquist. For Pacific Grove: Mrs. Bess Ward and Miss Lucy Valpey. For Monterey: Mrs. Leo Abinante and Mrs. Robert Newby. For Carmel: Mrs. John Farr and Mrs. Leo Minear.

During the tea hour recorded music was played. This was handled by Clarence Postlewait and Harry Watson.

Decorations for the affair were in the capable hands of Miss Sophie Harpe, chairman; Mrs. Virginia Nielsen, Mr. Sam De Mello, Mr. Carl Bensberg and Mr. Rue Manhire.

Mrs. Mary K. Solari, chairman of the tea committee, was assisted in her skillful handling of the refreshments by Miss Ruth Herzig, Mrs. John Westover, and students of the home economics department who were Benita Updike, Jackie Six, Joan Daniels, Joan Sanders, Ann Whitaker, Carol Bedeau, Jan Mastin, Margaret Rigdon, Diane Tait, Nancy Brown, Elizabeth Gilbert, Charis Johns and Joan Harrington.

Doing important jobs were those on the organization desks, Mrs. Ramsey Benson and Mrs. Clarence Postelwaite, and the typing and mailing committee, Mr. Peter Mawdsley, Miss May Nally, Mrs. Clarence Postelwaite, Miss Margaret Lea, Mrs. Leo Minear, and Miss Leslie King.

Publicity was handled by Mrs. Annie Vaughan.

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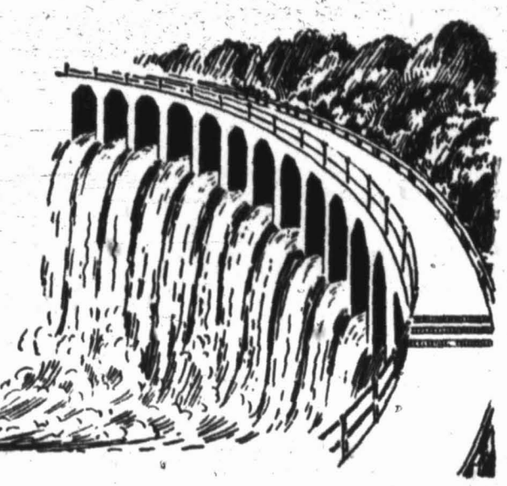

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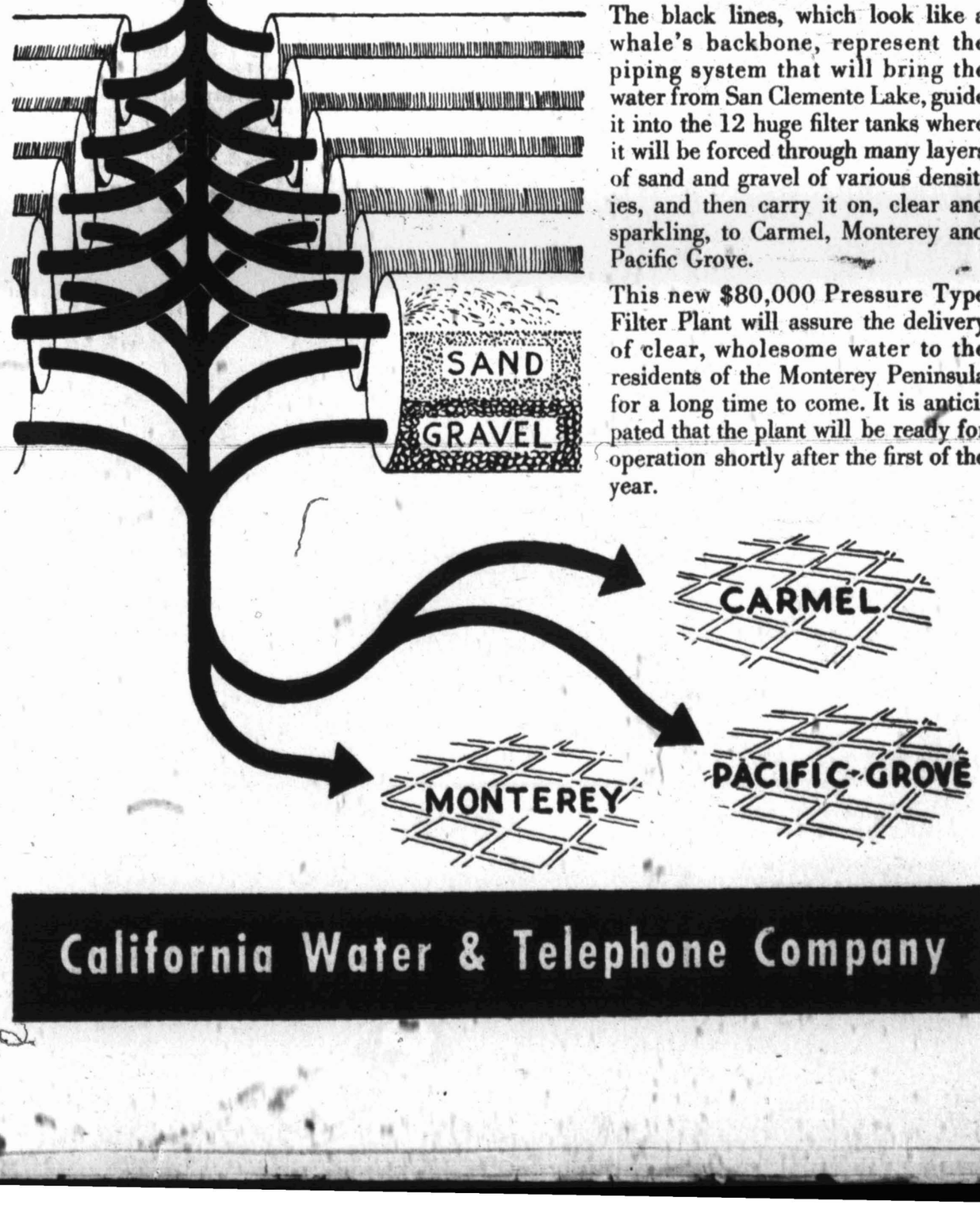

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Leo Harris Analyzes Bonds For Hi Students

The following talk was given by School Superintendent Leo Harris, who is also High School Principal, to the Carmel High School Students in their assembly last Friday:

"We have just completed a school survey which shows that the Carmel Unified School System should make definite plans to complete the present plant at the high school, as well as made adequate preparation to take care of the normal growth in school population expected during the next ten years, as shown by the survey.

"In order that you students may be informed about this very important school issue. I am taking this opportunity of discussing the issue with you.

"Briefly the plan calls for the development of two neighborhood primary schools, one to be located north of Ocean Avenue and the other south of Ocean Avenue to house the students in the kindergarten through the fourth grades. Ultimately Sunset will become an intermediate school, housing grades five through eight, with the high school becoming a regular four year institution.

"As most of you know the high school plant has neve rbeen completed according to the original plans. In order to complete the high school, a building program should include the following projects: A music unit; life science unit; arts and crafts unit; a recreation center including a swimming pool; custodian's residence; additional class rooms; utility storage unit.

"To complete the above important plans it will be necessary to pass a bond issue for $450,000 by a two-thirds vote on January 28, 1947. We urge you to inform yourselves about the bond issue so that you can discsus it with your parents intelligently.

The Urge And I . . .

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my love in my hands. My love didn't look so good.

The lattice work had risen like bars in the jailhouse wall. The three sliced apples had definitely curled up and shrunk to a smidgen. The center of the pie was swaybacked and the edge was a beautiful, solid jet black.

I started to slice the pie by dropping a knife on the top expecting to see it drop through by its own weight. Instead there was a noise like a tuning fork in action and the knife clattered to the floor. I selected a larger and heavier knife, and whistling the third movement from an obscure symphony, I casually took a healthy whack at the top—and the knife popped out of the window and stuck in the petunia bed. You couldn't say then that I lost my temper but only became more enthusiastic as I alternately attacked the pie with chisels, expletives, hacksaws and blowtorches. I was considering dynamite as not impractical when I discovered I could slip my baby spoon inside of the frame work and scoop out a mouthful.

Shortly thereafter I dropped the pie and pie plate inside of the refuse can and out of my life forever and returned to the kitchen where flour was scattered from the bread pan to the electric toaster, remains of apples were clogging the sink, the cinnamon had fallen face down on my last cube of butter, and shortly thereafter I found a half of lemon inside of the coffee pot, placed there probably in the heat of excitement.

Mentally I won't tell you how I suffered but physically you can see my hands: three superficial burns and two cuts . . . well, really one cut and one slice.

I knew afterwards I shouldn't have done it, that I would be torturing myself, but I had to know, and I made a quick trip to the village. "How much," I asked the girl in the bakery pointing through the glass, "how much for an apple pie?"

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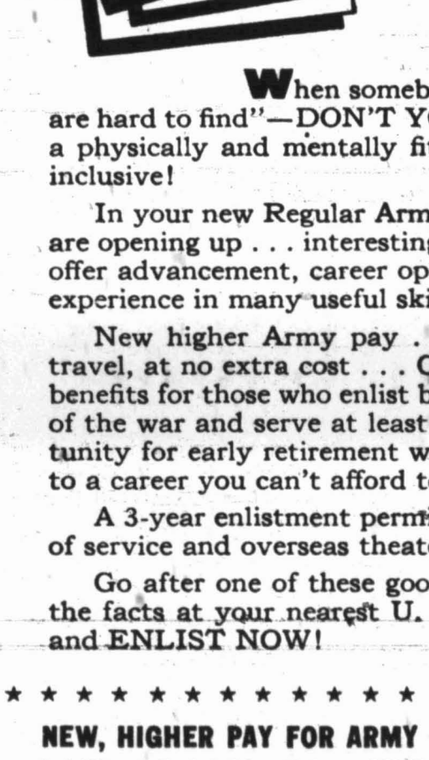

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Stuarts Plan Big Christmas

Colonel and Mrs. George W. Stuart will not have an idle moment during Christmas week. Lots of visitors are expected, beginning with Mr. and Mrs. Russel Zink of Los Angeles, who arrive December 22 enroute to San Francisco, where they will spend the holidays with Mrs. Zink's family. Hard on the heels of the Zinks, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Thoburn, the newlyweds, come for their honeymoon, and Mrs. Connie Du Bois from Hollywood joins the Stuarts on December 29 for New Year's Day.

Alan Thoburn Will Wed

Alan Thoburn's engagement to Miss Ruth Rogers of Waterford, was recently announced in Modesto at a meeting of Miss Roger's sorority, Epsilon Sigma Alpha. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rogers of Waterford, a graduate of Modesto High School and Modesto Junior College.

Alan Thoburn's family on both sides are part and parcel of the history of the village. His mother, Grace Wilson Thoburn, is the daughter of the late Philip Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, now living at San Antonio and Fifteenth, who came to Carmel from Texas 42 years ago. Philip Wilson, her brother, has always been identified with the real estate business.

Alan's father, James Thoburn, was once mayor of Carmel. He and Mrs. Thoburn now make their home on their ranch near Sonora.

Alan attended Sunset School, then San Jose State College, and while there joined the army and spent 37 months serving in Africa, Sicily, Italy and France. He has a constellation of eight battle stars shining on his record with the Engineer Corps, and is now attending Modesto Junior College preparatory to entering Stanford for his engineering degree.

The wedding will be solemnized at the Episcopal Church in Modesto, December 25. Alan and Ruth will come to Carmel for their honeymoon when they will occupy the guest cottage of Colonel and Mrs. George W. Stuart.

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Bridge Section Woman's Club

It was a gala occasion on Monday when the bridge players of the Carmel Woman's Club had their party at the Girl Scout House. Sixteen tables were in action and everyone was in a particularly happy mood. Refreshment tables were decorated with a lighted Christmas tree, Santa Claus, holly and everything to carry out the holiday spirit. Mrs. Anne Vaughan was chairman of the affair. Her assistants were Mrs. C. Montague Irwin, Mrs. Charles Berkey, Miss Blanche O'Neil, Mrs. Edward Cox and Mrs. Guy Young.

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Henshaws Go To Piedmont

Edward Tyler Henshaw picked up his family last week and took them to Piedmont, where they will spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Henshaw. Mrs. E. T. Henshaw, with her small son, has been spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Pilling at the Monterey Country Club, while her husband was in the east on a business trip.

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Holidays In Kansas

General and Mrs. D. C. Cubbison will spend the Christmas holidays with their daughter in Hutchinson, Kansas.

A Son Is Born

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce J. Bacon received word of a new grandson, born in Boulder, Colorado, Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes. He has been named George Bruce. George Bruce's father is a physicist in the engineering department, teaching in the Colorado University. Grandfather Bacon is senior warden of All Saints' Church. Aunt Pat is a senior at Carmel High and Aunty Nancy is in the seventh grade at Sunset.

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Holiday House Indeed

Miss Edith Jamieson of Holiday House is expecting a big shipment of relatives from the east, who are arriving this week from Newton, Mass., to spend the holidays with her. Mrs. J. B. Jamieson is driving cross country with Mrs. Dorothy Kremser-Stoddard, and Mr. Jamieson is coming by train to join the party.

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Mrs. Howden's Guests

Mrs. Grace Howden had as her house guests last weekend Dr. and Mrs. Orley See. Dr. See is the conductor of the Oakland Symphony Orchestra. Also, Mrs. Gwendolin Geary Ruge of Seattle, made a return visit to Mrs. Howden on her way home, after a trip to Los Angeles.

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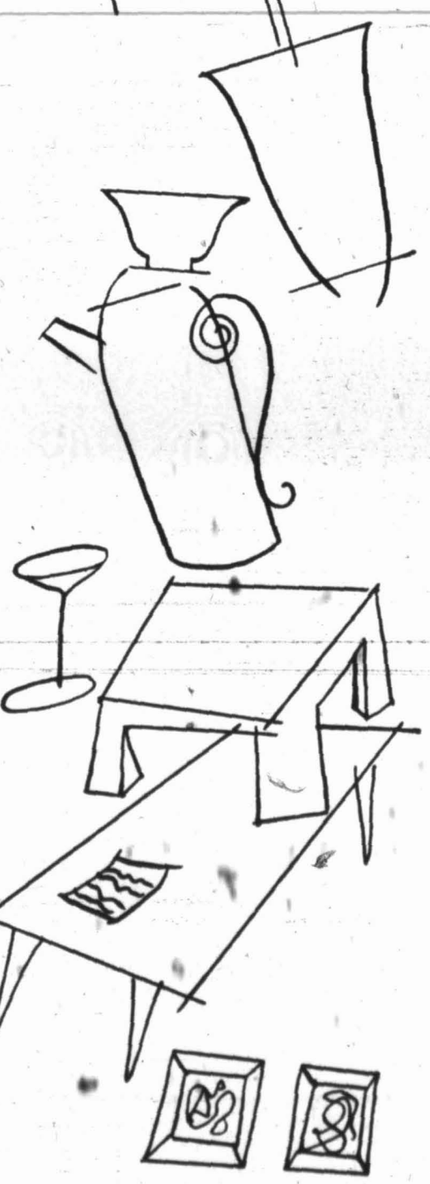

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Delta Kappa Gammas

Miss Harriet Baker was hostess at the annual Christmas party of the Delta Kappa Gamma, honorary educational sorority, given December 11, at her home in Pacific Grove. A blazing fire and appropriate Yuletide decorations set the stage for the occasion. The program opened with Christmas carols sung by a group of girls from the Pacific Grove High School under the direction of Mrs. Bess Ward. They sang First Noel, Silent Night, Obligato by Roberta Mayer, O Come All Ye Faithful, and Cantique de Noel. In the chorus were Donna Hastie, Carole Copsey, Jean Clark, Kathy Lewis, Pauline Roberts, Mary Lou Matthews, Rosemary Garces, Betty Byers, Roberta Mayer, Pat Fullington, Tanya Ojeda, Pat Kiddg, Donnalee Paul, Barbara Young and Jane Dix.

Mrs. Ann Norwood Petersen gave the history of some of the old English Christmas plays and read parts of them.

The initiation ceremony was the outstanding event of the evening when Miss Jeanne Staffelbach of Sunset School, Miss Gladys Stone, County Superintendent of Schools, Salinas, Miss Sophie E. Harpe, Monterey High School, Mrs. Florence Josselyn and Mrs. Vivian Kernoham of Seaside school, were taken into the organization.

Instead of the usual exchange of Christmas gifts, each member brought a book as a Christmas gift for the Community Centery Nursery School in Monterey.

The following members were present: Elise Beaton, Gertrude Rendtorff, Frances Johnson, Louise Grigsby, Ruth Blanchard, Ann B. Uzzell of Carmel, Dr. Luella Hall, Grace Wideman, Laura Tarver and Nora White of Salinas; Maurine Vander Griend, Althea Worall, Beatrice Jones, Frances McGrath, Eleanor Ziel, Anne Norwood Petersen, Helen Myers, Martha Ralph of Monterey; Elmarie H. Dyke, Bess Ward and Harriett Baker of Pacific Grove.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Maurine Vander Griend, Elmarie H. Dyke, Bess Ward, Althea Worall, and Harriet Baker.

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Guests Of The Hicks

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowers and son, David, and Mr. Don Walters of San Francisco were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Waldo Hicks.

Mrs. Hughes' Guest

Miss Ruth Bain, sister of Mrs. J. L. Hughes, will arrive Sunday to spend the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. Hughes. Miss Bain is head of a travel agency in New York City. Dr. Hughes is taking time out from his office so that he and Mrs. Hughes can show their guest around this part of the country. On January 3 they will take her to San Francisco and from there she will fly home.

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Request Performance of Cantata

So many requests have been received that the Cantata, Story of Christmas, by H. Alexander Matthews, which was given with great success two years ago, will be repeated on Sunday at the Presbyterian Church in Monterey, at 4 o'clock. Soloists will be Ida Frances Best, soprano, Lila Grimes, contralto, R. E. Manhire, baritone, and Thomas Griffin, bass. There will be a chorus of twenty voices. Marie V. Griffin will be at the organ, and the production will be under the direction of Reu Manhire.

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Date Made In Blitz, Kept

This is the extraordinary story of a date made in Liverpool, England, during a blitz, when Mrs. A. J. Shardlow and Mr. and Mrs. W. Brine optimistically made a date to spend Christmas together after the war, in Spokane, Washington, with Mrs. Sharlow's brother, F. F. Shardlow, and his family. Mrs. Brine and Mrs. F. F. Shardlow are sisters. Mrs. Shardlow, who will celebrate her eightieth birthday, December 27, came over from England and is now living with her daughter, Mrs. Mamie Bigelow, in Carmel. The Brines have arrived in Spokane a[illegible] Mrs. Bigelow and her mother [illegible] Wednesday morning for a family reunion that will embrace four generations.

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Los Angeles Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pierce left Monday for Los Angeles, where they will visit friends and relatives in their former home. Mrs. Pierce was principal of a junior high school in Los Angeles and Mr. Pierce was in the city engineering department of the city, before they came to Carmel.

Baby Of The Week

As far as The Pine Cone is concerned the big news of the week is the arrival of Rodney Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Carswell. Rodney was born at the Peninsula Community Hospital at 1:30 Sunday morning. Mr. Carswell is a member of the Pine Cone staff and the presses were held up 'til the last minute for Rodney, but it appears that he had no newspaper instinct, and last week's paper had to come out without him. Thornton is an exceptionally mild and gentle man, but he certainly was worn down by constant inquiries about Rodney. Pauline Carswell, the mother, is well known in Carmel for her clever weaving. Courtney, brother of the new baby is 3½ years old and thrilled over having a little brother.

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Wedding In Scotland

Cards were received this week announcing the marriage of Elizabeth Hougton, daughter of Mrs. Eleanor Taylor James, and Mr. David Nes. The ceremony was performed Saturday, December 7, at Kelvinside Church, Glasgow, Scotland. Mr. and Mrs. Nes will be at home, Cameron Castle, Loch Lomond, Balloch, Scotland.

Elizabeth sailed on the Queen Elizabeth with about 7,000 pounds of gadgets and paraphernalia for the castle. The two Elizabeths, bride-to-be and boat, ran into a big storm and the crossing was so rough that 20 passengers were taken off on stretchers, when they reached port but Elizabeth wasn't even seasick.

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C.O.D. Bundles At Hospital

Several babies arrived at the Peninsula Community Hospital in time to avoid the last minute Christmas rush. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hately of Pebble Beach welcomed a little girl whom they have named Barbara Joanne.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Baldwin, Mission and Eighth, Carmel, have a girl named Loretta Elaine, born on December 14.

Robert Alfred Roman, weighting 7 pounds and 11 ounces, put in his appearance just before midnight, December 14. This little night owl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albin Roman.

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Homecoming Stilwells

Mrs. Joseph Stilwell will have her family with her for the holidays. Colonel and Mrs. Ernest Easterbrook and their two children came Wednesday from Fort Benning, Miss Allison Stilwell from San Francisco, Major and Mrs. W. E. Cox from the Presidio, and Ben from Stanford. All arrived in Carmel this week.

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Betrothal Announced

At Wild Acres, the Pebble Beach home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke Shepard Jr., the engagement of their son, Andrew J. Shepard, and Miss Marcella Hegtvedt was announced at a cocktail party last Friday evening. Andy and Miss Hegtvedt met at Alexandria, Minnesota, where the Shepards were spending the summer. Miss Hegtvedt, daughter of Mrs. G. O. Hegtvedt, of Alexandria, attended the University of Minnesota and is a member of the Delta Gamma sorority. She came to Pebble Beach at Thanksgiving and will remain until after the holidays. Andy served two years in Germany as staff sergeant in the infantry and is now attending Stanford University. He is living at Chi Psi house of which he is president and is coach of the Menlo football team. The young couple plan to be married in June.

Canoles Sisters Were Home

Miss Carol Canoles came down from Reno for a three day visit with her mother, June Delight. She saw many old friends before leaving on Monday, December 16. June Delight Canoles came over from Moreland Notre Dame Academy in Watsonville while her sister was here, for the first family reunion in more than a year.

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Jesusa Fremont's Guests

On Christmas Eve a group of home-coming Carmelites will arrive from Berkeley to be the guests of Mrs. Jesusa Guidi Fremont. Jack Fremont and his wife will bring with them the Bardarson family. Mrs. Bardarson, widow of Otto Bardarson, Carmel's much loved Superintendent of Schools, and her two sons, Linne and Baird, will spend a week in the village as house guests of Mrs. Fremont. Baird returned last week from Germany. Mrs. Bardarson is attending the University of California, where she is studying to be a dietitian.

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Howes Gather at Redonda

Mrs. Katherine MacFarland Howe leaves today for Redonda Beach, where she will spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Philip Hamby Jones. Winifred Howe and Alice Harwood are driving down from Berkeley to join the family.

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Mawdsley Jr. Coming

Peter Mawdsley Jr. gets in Christmas Eve from Riverside where he is in the County Agricultural Commissioner's office. He will have Christmas with his father, City Clerk Peter Mawdsley, and mother and sister, Audrey.

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Mrs. Gardner Goes South

Mrs. Elaine Gardner left Thursday for Los Angeles, where she will spend the holidays, returning January 6.

Hares Have Full House

Dr. and Mrs. Chester Hare with their household of unrationed children are planning a big reunion on Christmas when all seven of the children will be home. Rickey and Jimmy are coming down from Montezuma School. Ted will be home, and Gay, Warren, Leland and Donn. Mrs. Eleanor James, Mrs. Hare's sister, is coming up from Pasadena. The day after Christmas Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Byers are taking their three children, Roger, Nelson and Carol, and Rickey, Jimmy, Gay and Warren of the Hare menage, to the deep snow country in Nevada. The Byers live at Jack's Peak, but Mr. Byers, who is a mining engineer, is employed in Nevada.

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Forty-Niners Party

American Legion Post No. 512 gave its big annual '49er party Saturday night at Legion Hall. Everybody was there from Fred Godwin, the mayor, to Pon Chung, who always tangles up the election returns by getting a few votes for every office from U. S. senator to constable.

Some of the guests came in costume. It was Woofard Dufur of the police force who stopped traffic with his bright red cowboy shirt, and Councilman Charles Childers gave the crowd the go-ahead with his bright green shirt. Every had a fine time playing the old fashioned games of the '49 nights. Dancing was also enjoyed by the younger crowd.

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Women Voters, Business

At the business meeting of the League of Women Voters on December 12, preceding the address by Zenas L. Potter (reported elsewhere in The Pine Cone), Mrs. Blanchard Steeves announced the next meeting of the international relations study group for January 9 at the home of Mrs. Ferdinand Haasis; Mrs. Perry Newberry announced the study group on the Central Valley Project meeting at La Ribera Hotel on January 10 and 24. Mrs. Frances A. Ballard, legislative chairman, asked members to send her newspaper clippings on the actions of Congress, from which she will compile a scrapbook of the continuous business of Congress. Mrs. Richard Lofton, publications chairman, announced the convenient appointment calendars issued by the National League now being handled for the local organization by the Carmel Booksellers. Mrs. J. M. Rigdon, chairman of government in operation, introduced Mr. Potter, now a resident of Carmel after years of service in the government in both World wars, and in business and economic fields. Mrs. Thor Hellum, president, conducted. Tea was served to welcome new members, with Miss Orre Haseltine, hospitality chairman, and Mrs. L. O. Kellogg and Mrs. Fenton Grigsby, pouring.

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Pearls To Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearl are leaving Carmel for Jacksonville, Florida, where they will remain until the middle of March.

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Holidays In San Francisco

Mrs. G. H. Taubles is driving to San Francisco this weekend and will visit friends in the city, returning after the first of the year.

Drapers Cocktail Party

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Draper entertained Sunday at a cocktail party in honor of their house guest, Miss Patricia Partridge of San Francisco. Their home Top O' the World was festive with greens and mistletoe. Red apples and red candles added color to the holiday atmosphere. Those who attended were the Messrs. and Mesdames Henry Belden, James Loman, Mark Thomas Bunn, William Gargiulo, Harrison Godwin, Jess Coe, Louis Conlin, Hampton Stuart, Jay Harris, Howard Veit, Tom Work Jr., Jon Konigshofer, Harry Leonard, Robert Smith, Mrs. Belle Bacon, Mrs. Betty Carr, Mrs. Elyse Holt, Mrs. Helen Sears, Mrs. Cynthia Seaborn, Mrs. June Tyling, Miss Rosalind Sharpe, James Smith, and Sam Colburn.

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Wayfarer South Circle Party

Fragrant greenery, soft light, and a gaily decorated Christmas tree greeted the guests at the tea given to the women of the church, especially the newcomers, by the South Circle, at the Church of the Wayfarer on Tuesday afternoon. The delightful program of music and readings was interspersed with friendly talk, tea, and cookies. The group of singers from the high school announced their arrival by singing Jolly Old St. Nicholas just outside the door, before giving their carols in the room. The solos by Mrs. Lynn Brooks early in the afternoon and by Mr. John Farr following the carols were high points in a program that was universally enjoyed. When the carolers politely started to withdraw, they were escorted back to the tea table to share the afternoon's hospitality. Mrs. Blanchard Steeves and Mrs. Louise Grigsby presided over the bountiful tea table. Miss Olive Swezy, chairman of the South Circle, was in charge of the party.

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Flavia Leaves For New York

Flavia Flavin left Spindrift Friday, December 13, when she turned the house over to the new owner, Dr. L. Sanford, and went to San Jose, where she spent a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Frank Kelley, before leaving for New York, December 17, to join her father at the Ritz-Carlton.

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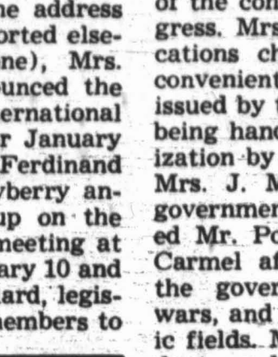

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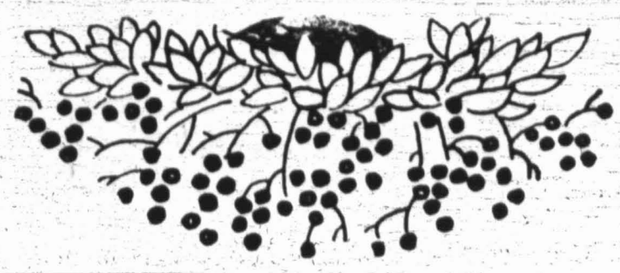

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In THE VILLAGE BOOKSHOP on Ocean between Dolores and San Carlos you'll find Lewis Browne's The World's Great Scriptures, containing excerpts from ninety of the world's great scriptural texts. In a similar ethical vein is The Treasury of the Free World containing the thoughts of many outstanding men on the problems which confront them. Einstein speaks about the social obligations of the scientist, and Gunnar Myrdal on the Negro question. There's an interesting group of Stanford University Press books too, on building an adobe house, for instance, and various means of travel in California's early days. The BOOKSHOP will be open until 9 p. m. until Christmas and from 2 to 6 on Sunday.

Even if your dogs and cats can't read a calendar they'll be pleased Christmas morning to find a Christmas stocking for them under the tree, and instead of being underfoot, they'll be happily off in a corner chewing a catnip mouse or a rubber bone. JEZEBEL'S DOG HOUSE on San Carlos south of Ocean has stockings for dogs and cats with balls and rubber bones in them, and chewing toys to save your house slippers, and catnip for cats. JEZEBEL'S has horse meat, too, which is the best dinner an animal can ask.

THE THIEVES MARKET on Dolores between Seventh and Eighth has re-opened with some choice wares. They've had a large shipment of antique Spode, and there are beautiful tables in the shop on which to set your Spode dinnerware. Two great Empire sideboards in mahogany and gilt grace the walls, and there's an early Victorian kidney sofa in elaborately carved walnut, with a delicately carved medallion head on the back. There are many fine screens in the THIEVES MARKET from both the Orient and the Occident, but the one that caught my eye is an antique screen with a wonderful painting of a giant sea battle, with cannon roaring and poopdecks sinking and a red-faced sailor cheerfully clinging to a keg of beer.

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Where else you can buy a solid rocking horse for only $3.95 I don't know, but FRISBIE'S FURNITURE STORE on Dolores and Eighth has them at that price with many other brightly painted and decorated, well made toys. There are wheelbarrows, pounding boards, block wagons, lumber carts, doll beds and cradles and tables and chairs for children. And if you'd like a bright cart loaded with building blocks any child can tell you they're a good idea, and Mr. Frisbie has them for $1.95.

You need look no farther than THE CARMEL BOOKSELLERS on Mission north of Fifth to complete your shopping. The Christmas Annual, ready to mail, costs $1.00, and it's a large, bright, beautiful book that will please a wide variety of people. It's handsomely decorated, and contains among other things, Christmas carols from foreign countries, an informative article on woodcarving and an article on Robert Louis Stevenson, as well as his Christmas Prayer. The Annual has the new text of the Christmas story taken from the recently completed Revised Standard Version of the New Testament, side by side of the traditional King James Version.

For that long, slow, leisurely holiday breakfast you'll be warmly and sleekly garbed in a quilted satin brunch coat from THE SILVER THIMBLE on Dolores south of Ocean. These coats have attractive yoked shoulders and a large pocket to carry your cigarettes and paper so you can sit at the table in satin luxury and never move. The colors are pink and blue. SILVER THIMBLE has wonderful lingerie, of course, from siren black to demure lace edged pink, and quilted cases and sachets to make it fragrant.

Here are some absolutely general gift suggestions from THE DOLORES PHARMACY on Dolores at Seventh. The King's Men and Courtley toiletries for men will imbue any man with a greater pride in his appearance, and maybe even keep his bureau in order. THE DOLORES PHARMACY has dressing cases, fitted and unfitted, for both men and women, in bright colors and fine leathers. There's a notable saddle leather dressing case, for instance. The complete lines of Milkmaid, Jacqueline Cochran and DuBarry cosmetics can be found there, as well as perfumes to entice, suggest or enchant from the famous houses of both America and France. You'll see simply designed comb and brush sets in lucite and gold, as well as the Shulton Originals, Friendship's Garden and Early American Old Spice.

Jo Mora fell off his first horse some fifty-seven years ago and in the meantime, judging from his Trail Dust and Saddle Leather in SPENCER'S HOUSE OF CARDS on Ocean near Dolores, he has learned all there is to know about cowboys. Trail Dust and Saddle Leather is full of lore and information. If you've ever wondered about hackamores and bosals, about armitas and snaffles, Jo Mora is your man. His fine drawings make the text even more vivid and occasionally make an abstruse bit of harnessing quite clear.

The Micro 16mm. camera in the BEAUX ARTS PHOTOGRAPHY SHOP on Lincoln at Ocean would be a fine gift for your family. It's simple to operate since there's nothing to do but press a button and its solid metal case makes it almost indestructible. Even a child, Mr. Hudder says, can operate the Micro 16mm. Its tiny size, like a pack of cigarettes will fit neatly into a Christmas stocking toe and it is very economical to operate. All the rest of the gear for camera addicts is to be found in the BEAUX ARTS—film, camera, tripods, projectors, viewers and so on, and there is also left one fine registered collie puppy in sable and white.

Deck the halls with boughs of holly and poinsettias with their bright legend wrapped heads all from the MEL-O-DEE FLOWER SHOP on Dolores south of Ocean. The MEL-O-DEE SHOP has all the berried holly and pine and redwood boughs to make your house sweet smelling and gay for Christmas. There are wreaths of every kind—some of redwood tips with tiny cones—and some of holly—and full branched firs and pines and spruce for your tree. There are beautiful potted plants to give for a living Christmas wish—ruffled azaleas, stately poinsettas, Christmas pepper plants, Christmas begonias, cyclamens and cut flowers of every description from carnations to orchids. And for burning or just decoration there are the great cones of the sugar pine.

If Santa Claus has been too busy with business to attend to such things as he should, a parent who wishes to aid him can hop into THE PIONEER STORE on Dolores next to the Post Office and look over the many toys which THE PIONEER is selling at one-third less than regular price, just for such occasions. There are superforts and garden tools, sewing machines and dolls and blocks—all for a low, low price. For chilly elders there are the beautiful Susquehanna blankets, pure wool and satin bound, in blue, green, cedar, peach and dusty rose, and most important of all on sale for $10.87, which is 25% less than regular price.

I think turkey's best, although I wouldn't scorn a steak, but even if you want abalone for Christmas dinner the CASA MUNRAS HOTEL in Monterey will be able to accommodate you. For their gala Christmas dinner to be served on Christmas day from noon until 9 in the evening the CASA MUNRAS is opening wide its larders. Dinner will be served in the Patio Room with its silver leaved garlands bearing strange and wondrous fruit of mirrored red and blue. You may have hot buttered rums and toddies before dinner and finish off the meal with hot mince or apple pie with lemon sauce, plum pudding or a monumental sundae.

You can set your dining table beautifully for any occasion with linens from GUMP'S of Carmel on Dolores Street. For informal meals mats of woven sea grass with matching napkins are unusual and attractive and the handblocked mats and napkins by Doreta will give your table originality and color. The designs come in six colors the brightest of which is a red used in a graceful spray of California poppies. $6.80 buys a set of four mats and napkins designed by Doreta. Plastic mats woven of a fine plastic thread are colorful and easy to care for. They cost $2.50 apiece and may be complimented with white linen napkins for $2.00 For more formal dining the hand woven linen mats with gold and silver threads are beautiful as Indian saris. The sets with napkins cost from $26.00 to $28.00.

For the sum of $1.00 per day you can rent a vacuum cleaner with attachments from GLEDHILL'S APPLIANCE and RADIO STORE on Dolores near Seventh, and Christmas house cleaning will thereafter hold no terrors for you. A floor polisher rents for the same price, and if you want a radio in your home, GLEDHILL'S can supply that, too, at rentals of from $1.50 to $2.00 a week. GLEDHILL'S has some small radios for sale as well as several stoves. Among the smaller appliances at GLEDHILL'S you'll find flashlights, and mixer beaters for Mixmasters, and an absolutely fascinating beater-mixer for mayonnaise and ice cream.

The glittering array of implements in the new manicure cases in FORTIER'S on Ocean at Dolores looks efficient enough for an appendectomy. In a zippered pigskin case are files, scissors, pedicure nippers, tweezers, orange wood sticks and whatever else is needful for nail care. The Lentheric sets in FORTIER'S are handsome in and out. One box labelled "For Him and Her" contains cologne and perfume on the feminine side and after shave lotion and shaving soap on the masculine. There are other sets, in all Lentheric's famous scents, but one especially fine one, costing $13.75 contains really large bottles of perfume, toilet water, bath oil, sachet and talcum in any one of the Lentheric fragrances.

Last minute shipment of records are still coming into LIAL'S MUSIC SHOP on Ocean at Monte Verde so don't worry about finding depleted stocks. There are many children's albums for Christmas, Margaret O'Brien's recordings and the Let's Pretend series, for example. There are many Christmas records, and , more important, records with no hint to season, to be loved all year long. Whether you want a large symphony or a small scherzo you'll find it at LIAL'S.

Have you remembered to place something under the tree for that favorite uncle twice-removed who will be dropping in to pat the children on the head Christmas Day? In DEREK RAYNE'S on Ocean you can find small gifts for such an event, gifts to please any man. A small leather backed clothes brush would be welcome, or maybe a shoe shine kit to make shoes like satin and also keep the undiscriminating away from guest towels. A padded and zippered bottle guard will prevent trouble, and a shining tie rack will encourage a man to keep his ties in order. DEREK RAYNE has a trouser hanger that looks efficient too. It even puts a crease in damp trouser cuffs. The wallets and other leather goods in the shop range from inexpensive billfolds to the finest fitted cases, and as for toiletries, DEREK RAYNE carries the products of King's Men, For Men Only, and Fourielli.

In MERLE'S TREASURE CHEST there's a tray of earrings with blue sequins and silver bells, golden hearts and jewelled flowers, and as long as they last, they will sell for only $1.00. You'll do well to shop at MERLE'S now because all the fine imported handkerchiefs, all the beautiful leather-cases, the shining compacts in enamel and gold and silver, the bright jewelry, the china and silver, everything, in short, in MERLE'S is offered at one third less than regular prices. This won't go on for long, you know, and there's one compact in particular with a great golden snowflake on a white enamel ground that asks to be laid in some beauty's hand for Christmas.

A good thing should be confined to no one season. Therefore, the DOLORES BAKERY on Dolores-still-will have its own specialty which is delicate moist, faintly spiced pumpkin cake all Christmas week. A slice of such cake is all the recommendation needed. DOLORES BAKERY has the darkly rich fruit cake to be served at any and all Christmas gatherings, and the iced Pfeffernusse in green and pink and white, that are as much a part of Christmas as turkey is, and if you want to make a great impression on some small child, lead him gently into DOLORES BAKERY and there buy him a real gingerbread Santa Claus with icing whiskers.

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A grocery store looks beautiful enough with all its bright cans and bottles, but Mrs. Poirier of the CARMEL DRIVE-IN'S GROCERY DEPARTMENT has her shelves all topped with shining snow and bright boughs and berries. Among the greenery you might look to find imported olive oil selling for $2.90 a quart and that rara avis, Alaska Sockeye Salmon.

There Are Controls That Would Cushion Depression, Zenas Potter Tells League Of Women Voters

The United States is an island of free enterprise in what tends to be a collectivist world, Zenas L. Potter told the Monterey Peninsula League of Women Voters last week; and how this country handles the growing inflation and to what extent it can stave off a disastrous depression will in large measure determine whether free enterprise will survive in the world—including the United States.

Mr. Potter emphasized free enterprise as in the interest of all the people, not for the benefit only of big business or industry or of union labor. To this end we need an economic stabilization committee in Congress, as the average law maker is not well informed on economic principles, and needs experts for consultation.

The depression is now unavoidable, the inflation has gone too far, Mr. Potter said, but it is still possible to avert a disaster if the right measures are followed, if the government has the courage to resist narrow-minded pressure groups that are severally demanding higher wages, higher prices, and hands off all controls. Business must get over the idea that government is its enemy, and must realize that measures enacted in the interest of the public are in the long run of benefit to business also. Mr. Potter illustrated his points by a lengthy comparison of economic conditions in the recent war, under price controls, and the first World War, with almost no control, when the cost of living more than doubled. He pointed out that the standard of living during the last five years had reached the highest in the nation's history, when distribution of food was regulated so that all persons had equal opportunity to obtain a sufficient amount of standard foods. Consumption was actually higher than ever before.

The public, the average citizen, however, has become confused by the outcries of interested groups for complete decontrol, and in fact it is impossible to restore what was once abolished. The limit of purchasing power among wage earners is about reached, but the demand for higher wages, then higher prices, is continuing the spiral. There are certain controls, only indirectly affecting individuals, which, if the public will accept them, can cushion the deflation and prevent the most serious consequences.

For this result, the government must control interest rates; it must control the volume of currency in circulation; it must control business inventories, which are the basis of prices and consequently affect inflation; it must spread a sound basis of unemployment insurance, in order to maintain reasonable purchasing power; it must limit credit in order to prevent unjustified expansion leading to a boom that is sure to collapse. Each of these measures is opposed by one or another pressure group that considers itself hampered by such control. The government must nevertheless develop a program to deal with deflation as it comes.

Mr. Potter gave a little time at the beginning of his talk to his scheduled topic, Reorganization of Congress, which he considered less immediately important than economic conditions. While the reorganization bill recently passed was probably all that could be achieved at this time, there are further changes needed: to eliminate the seniority rule for committee chairmen, which seldom puts the ablest man in control of the committee; to eliminate the poll tax and get a real democracy from the south; to eliminate unlimited debate in the Senate, which is often used to defeat desirable legislation.

Some sort of labor legislation is necessary, but it must aim to correct abuses while getting labor its just dues without strikes, and especially help the lowest income groups; and laws should be devised to "lick booms and even up depressions."—L. L. T.

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A Solemn High Mass will be celebrated at midnight on Christmas Eve. Otherwise, the usual Sunday schedule will apply with Masses at 8 a. m., 9:30 and 11 o'clock.

Admission to the Midnight Mass will be by invitation cards which are obtainable without charge from the Mission superintendent, Mr. Harry Downie. Such cards are available to the general public, after distribution to Parishioners. At ten minutes to midnight, all reservations will become void and entrance to the Mission will be without preference.

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CHURCH OF THE WAYFARER

Meditations in Bethlehem will be the sermon theme by Dr. James E. Crowther on Sunday at the Church of the Wayfarer at 11:00. Miss Lucy Valpey will be at the organ. Our Christmas offering will be for the world's suffering children, and will be administered by the American Friends' Service Committee. The Church School begins at 9:45.

The high school youth will have a Sunday evening Christmas program from 5 to 6, for young people only; then supper from 6 to 7, followed by carol singing around the community from 7 to 8.

Christmas Eve Carol Service on Tuesday, December 24, from 11 to midnight, with carols, prayers, readings and scripture projected on the screen, the congregation seated in the shadows. Since the crowd overflows the seating capacity, you are advised to come early.

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Saturday, December 21: Feast of Saint Thomas the Apostle; 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion.

Sunday, December 22: 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer, Sermon by the Rector; 4:00 p. m. Children's Christmas Candlelight Service; 7:30 p. m., Young People's Fellowship.

Tuesday, December 24: 11:30 p. m., Christmas Candlelight Service with midnight celebration of the Holy Communion.

Wednesday, December 25: Christmastide; 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion.

Thursday, December 26: Feast of Saint Stephen, Deacon and Martyr; 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion.

Friday, December 27: Feast of Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist; 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" This question is the subject of the Christian Science Lesson-Sermon for Sunday, December 22. The Golden Text is taken from Deuteronomy: "Behold, the heaven and the heaven of heavens is the Lord's thy God, the earth also, with all that therein is" (10:14).

Included in the sermon are these citations:

Psalms 98:1. "O sing unto the Lord a new song; for he hath done marvelous things: his right hand, and his holy arm, hath gotten him the victory."

"Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. "Science must triumph over material sense, and Truth over error, thus putting an end to the hypotheses involved in all false theories and practices" (p. 484).

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ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL DEL MONTE

There will be two Christmas services in St. John's Chapel, Del Monte. The midnight eucharist will commence promptly at 11 p. m. on Christmas Eve, and the second service will be at 10:30 on Christmas Day. The midnight service in St. John's Chapel is one of more than usual beauty. The Chapel is lighted with a multitude of Christmas candles. During the eucharist all the best loved Christmas carols and hymns are sung. At 10:55 p. m. the choir sings the carols "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen," and "We Three Kings of Orient Are" in the church yard. The chaplain, the Rev. Theodore Beel, will conduct the service and preach. Mrs. William Swain will be at the organ and Miss Sue Estelle Tuck will conduct the choir.

It is wise to be early as accommodation is limited.

The service and music at the Christmas morning service are substantially the same as those at the midnight service.

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Everybody Was His Best At Founding Tea For Regional Symphony

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vice principal at the high school, Mr. Minear will be in contact with embryo musicians, who, under his influence may blossom into seasoned performers, ready to take their places in this community project.

Mr. John Morse, president of Del Monte properties, had asked the symphony committee what he could do to help and was promptly invited to appear at the reception and to make any constructive comments he cared to make. Mr. Morse made some vital comments. He said, "It is significant that this community wishes to express itself rather than hire talent. Making music is more uplifting than just sitting, for as we make music our interest grows." Through music, Mr. Morse says he can do anything; woo the maiden or slay the dragon, and isn't that so with all of us. Mr. Morse thinks it is important that this movement is of democratic origin and that such a movement could only exist in a growing community. The Monterey Peninsula Regional Symphony is open to all musicians within our ken, which makes of it something . . . (no I won't say unique) . . . rather prototypal. In speaking of this as a growing community, Mr. Morse mentioned the possibilities of the Navy taking over Del Monte Hotel. He explained that the Navy personnel who may come to Del Monte, is not primarily a military unit. These men will be students, graduates of Annapolis. They will not wear uniforms, but will be citizens of the peninsula. The officers will be an educated group of men who have cosmopolitan culture, which will include appreciation of good music.

Doctor Orley See, conductor of the Oakland symphony, was the guest speaker of the afternoon. Doctor See is an expert in putting symphonies together and he knows how to make them click. He is of the opinion that the Monterey Peninsula has made a fine start and that with the backing of so many distinguished citizens it should be plain sailing. He assured the audience that a community will soon become a part of the organization. The Oakland symphony existed ten years before it gave a public concert, yet it never played to an empty house. No invitations were issued, no tickets sold, but whenever the musicians got together, the ready-made audience was at hand. Rehearsals were as well attended as were the finished performances and Doctor See gives the citizens of Oakland the credit for their fine symphony of today.

No event would be an event without the presence of our own Mayor Fred Godwin. What is there about Fred that makes of him the prototype for all Carmel mayors? He brings to his office the dignity, the charm of the village he represents and a valiant determination to keep Carmel as she is. Mr. Godwin thanked the guests for their interest in the Regional Symphony and especially the guests from other communities. He said, "The widespread interest shown here today proves that we are best served when the peninsula works together."

Mr. Garrott had the last word, which I am sure will surprise no one. He said that the meeting could not close without a word of thanks and praise to Mrs. Grace Howden for her untiring efforts in behalf of our symphony.

Sunday afternoon was a gala occasion marking the beginning of an important movement. The gay costumes, the colorful and well appointed tea table seemed to presage the beginning of something-or-other. Maybe the end of war and the beginning of peace. (That peace is always just around the corner.)

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Lost and Found

LOST in Carmel, Dec. 7, single strand pearl necklace. Call Salinas 20659 collect.

LOST IN CARMEL, Tuesday, December 17, a red wallet with initials I. A .S., wallet contained money, marriage license, key and papers. Will finder please keep money and return papers and wallet to 55 Templeton St., Daly City, Calif.

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These bibulous forebearers of ours called a bird of their oak forests: "shrike." This was Saxon for "shriek." Here is one of those mimetic bird names. This one so well embalmed the bird's call-note that the name has lived until now. Our California shrike, or "butcherbird," is a beneficial bird. It destroys grasshoppers, locusts, Jerusalem-crickets. Out of its habit of nesting in thorny shrubs, may come an interesting bit of comparative psychology, of adaptation to new conditions. Watch him, for example, impale a grasshopper on barbed wire, instead of on a thorn.

Our California shrike, Quaker-like, is gowned in black, white and gray. Some old-world shrikes are more brightly hued, Knowlton reminds us, for example of the red-backed shrike of Asia, also of the crimsonbreasted shrike of South Africa. He also tells us of the Australian shrike-thrush, with a song comparable to the nightingale's. The backokiri shrike is green, yellow, gray and black.

Should not kiddies learn about birds, like the shrike, that help the farmer who produces our food? Many farmers themselves lacking such childhood education, are not aware that owls, also hawks, (except the accipter type), do many times more good than harm.

Sincerely,
C. M. GOETHE.

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Mrs. Gibbons

Mrs. William Hammond Gibbons, a resident of Carmel for many years, and a sister of Miss Nora Harnden, died at her home in Monte Cito, December 4.

She was born in Alameda 80 years ago, and had been a resident of Santa Barbara for about five years.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Miss Mollie Gibbons; two brothers, Dr. Fred W. Harnden of Berkeley and Robert O. Harnden of Philadelphia; and four sisters, Mrs. James A. Wilder of Honolulu, Mrs. Austin Sperry of Berkeley, Mrs. E. V. Lewis of Berkeley, and Miss L. Nora Harnden of Carmel.

Rev. Eugene Sill officated at the services. Interment was in Santa Barbara cemetery.

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Sayers Heads Realty Board

Durbin Sayers, resident of Carmel whose office is in Monterey, was elected president of the Monterey Peninsula Realty Board at the regular meeting Tuesday at Casa Munras. He succeeds Matthew Beaton. Other officers elected were Herbert Powers, Pacific Grove, vice-president; Wanda Leslie, Carmel, secretary-treasurer.

The board is made up of 75 brokers and salesmen on the Peninsula. Corum Jackson, vice-president of the state association, reported on the recent national convention, which he attended in Atlantic City. He stated that the convention next year would be held in San Francisco. When people from the various parts of the country were asked what kind of entertainment they wanted ,they all said, "Bring up the movie stars." It was generally thought that the real estate business on the Peninsula would continue good in 1947, with little change from present prices.

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Carmel Boys' Club Dance

The Carmel Boys' Club will have a dance on Saturday night, January 4, at the American Legion Hall, Police Officer Woofard Dufur announced yesterday.

Plans for the party haven't been completed as yet, but there will be dancing, games and refreshments, and parents will be invited. Further details will be announced later.

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Motor To San Diego

Mrs. John Dickinson and Miss Gertrude Rendtorff are driving to San Diego on Sunday.

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Visitors For Dan Harris

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Harris of New York, are visiting Bill's brother, Dan Harris, in Monterey for the Christmas holidays. Dan Harris, a newcomer to the peninsula, is an artist and sculptor who will have several exhibits in San Francisco after the New Year.

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The Ray Benson Baby

Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Charles Ray Benson was born at the Monterey Hospital, a welcome gift to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Benson of Carmel. The mother was Edith Marie Fonteneau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles U. Fonteneau. She is a graduate of Carmel High ,and sang in the Mission choir. The father, Raymond D. Benson, is employed at the Carmel Post Office. He originally hailed from Missouri but joined the army serving more than five years. He was stationed at Fort Ord and in Oregon before he went to the South Seas area as a member of the medical department. Grandfather Fonteneau is practically beside himself with joy over his first grandson. Mr. Fonteneau was one of the pioneer road builders with the state engineering department for thirty years, and is going to use all his engineering skill to get his grandson into the same profession, says he.

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Santa Claus 'n' Everything

The Business and Professional Women's Club had a Christmas party Monday at the Patio Room of Casa Munras in Monterey. Old Christmas traditions were revived with a flowing wassail bowl and bringing in the Yule Log. Santa Claus, whiskers and all, distributed gifts and parcels which are to be sent to the old people in the County Hospital in Salinas. There was an informal musical program under the direction of Dr. Una Cary, with carol singing, directed by Miss Elmarie Dyke, and accompanied by Miss Ida Best. Christine Lutz sang Holy Night and A White Christmas.

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